WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Strong winds or gales, mostly easterly and southerly; unsettled and mild, with rain.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Easterly winds, fresh to high on the Gulf; unsettled and mild, with rain.

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NEW FARMERS' BODY SUGGESTED

United Farmers of Alberta Take Step Towards Formation of "United Farmers of Canada"

ELIMINATE UNITED GRAIN GROWERS, LTD.

Object Is to Co-ordinate Federal, Political, Social, Educational and Economic Activities in One Organization

CALGARY, Jan. 17.—Tentative steps were taken this afternoon by the United Farmers of Alberta toward the organization of a national farmers' council, presumably to supplant eventually the Canadian Council of Agriculture, and eliminating from membership the United Grain Growers, Limited, and the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Co., which are represented in the Council of Agriculture.

There was a lengthy discussion, in which delegates emphasized the importance to their movement of some co-ordinating agency, political and economic, and in the end the following resolution was adopted almost unanimously:

Resolution Adopted

"Whereas the growth of the farmers' movement has now reached national proportions, and

"Whereas there is great need for a body which will co-ordinate all our Federal political, social, educational and economic activities;

"Therefore, be it resolved, that we are in favor of an organization that shall include representatives from the various farmers' provincial organizations and we herewith authorize our executive to enter into negotiations with these organizations with a view to forming an association to be known as the United Farmers of Canada."

This discussion, with the return by acclamation to the presidency of H. W. Wood for his eighth term, featured the afternoon session.

A Debt of $10,000

The association has a debt of about $10,000 resulting largely from extended political operations in 1921, and it was decided that an appeal should be made to local and district organizations to contribute toward wiping out this obligation. One delegate said hardship had reduced the membership of his local from sixty to six in two years.

CALGARY SUPPORTS LOCAL GRAIN PLANS

Mayor Hayward Receives Assurance of Co-operation—Elevator Will Be of Mutual Advantage

Mayor Hayward was notified yesterday that Calgary is behind Victoria's campaign for a grain elevator and is prepared to co-operate in making the project a success.

The Mayor received this letter from City Clerk J. M. Miller, of Calgary:

"Believing that the City of Victoria is mutually concerned with the City of Calgary in the development of the westward movement of grain, I have been instructed to write and ask if you have any suggestions to make as to what steps the City of Calgary might take in the further development of this route."

The Mayor expressed appreciation of the attitude of Calgary and will write a reply today, asking that city to use its influence in persuading the Canadian National Railway system that Victoria is a logical point through which export grain from the Prairies should be shipped.

"The best augury for the success of our plans is the wholehearted manner in which the Prairie interests have assured us of support," said the Mayor. "We believe that the establishment of grain elevators here will be of mutual value to Victoria and the Prairie cities depending on a safe and economical outlet for wheat. So far as Victoria is concerned, grain elevators will induce ships to come here that otherwise would pass us by and thus tend to build up the shipping of the port, and they will also provide a much larger volume of rolling stock to move our lumber shipments eastward."

MR. A. HENDERSON RETURNS TO COMMONS

Former Leader of British Labor Party Secures Big Majority in Newcastle East By-Election

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, former minister without portfolio in the British war cabinet, who was defeated in the recent general elections, has regained his seat in Parliament in a by-election held at East Newcastle, called on account of the death of the sitting Labor member, J. N. Bell.

Polling was as follows: Henderson, Labor, 11,066; Major Barnes, Liberal, 6,682; Captain Gee, Conservative, 5,480.

WIND DESTROYS HANGAR

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—The high wind today destroyed the hangar of Percy Barnes, local aviator, and demolished two airplanes. The hangar cost $1,800 to erect and the two planes were valued at $6,300.

Is Back at Ottawa

HON. W. S. FIELDING
Minister of Finance

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—Looking and apparently feeling considerably better in health than when he left Ottawa, shortly after the close of last session of Parliament, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, returned at midnight tonight after an absence of several months in Europe in connection with treaty matters. He expressed profound regret on learning of the sudden death of Hon. W. C. Kennedy in Florida.

FEDERAL MINISTER OF RAILWAYS DEAD

HON. W. C. KENNEDY DIES FROM HEART FAILURE

Won Whitening Circle of Friends in All Parties During Comparatively Brief Political Career

NAPLES, Fla., Jan. 17.—Hon. W. C. Kennedy, Minister of Railways and Canals of Canada, who came here recently to recuperate after an operation in Montreal, died suddenly tonight from heart failure.

Brief Political Career

Possessed of fine abilities, combined with a patriotic desire to serve his country had his fellow men, Hon. William Costello Kennedy, M.P., Minister of Railways and Canals for Canada, occupied an enviable position in his comparatively brief political career. He was first elected to the House of Commons as the Liberal

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PRINCE OF WALES IS NOT READY TO PLUNGE

Protests He Has No Intentions of Taking Such a Step in Reply to Marriage Rumors

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Recently when a story of the probable marriage of the Prince of Wales was mentioned to the Prince by his intimates, he protested that he had no intention of making such a plunge.

Regarding the engagement of the Duke of York, second son of the King, to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, daughter of the Earl of Strathmore, attention is being called to the present line of succession to the British Crown. Next to the Prince of Wales, the heir-apparent, comes the Duke of York, the Princes Henry and George and then Princess Mary (Viscountess Lascelles), then the Princess Royal, who is the King's eldest sister, Princess Arthur of Connaught, and then her son, the Earl of MacDuff. This order of succession to the throne disappears, of course, when the Prince of Wales marries and there are children by the marriage.

FURTHER RULINGS ON RECEIPT STAMP TAX

Collectors of Customs and Excise Are Notified How New Tax Applies on Mailed Acknowledgments

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—The Department of Customs and Excise has issued to collectors the following rulings in regard to stamp duties on receipts:

1. No stamp duty is required on a mailed postcard acknowledging remittance, as such postcard already bears a war revenue tax of one cent in addition to the postage.

2. A mailed form letter, which by the method of folding has the address placed thereon without the use of an envelope requires no stamp duty, for the same reason as in the case of a postcard.

3. A form letter mailed in an envelope, acknowledging payment of ten dollars or over, requires a two cent stamp, because it bears no evidence that any other tax has been paid under the special War Revenue Act.

BRITISH IMPORTS IMPROVE TRADE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Official figures reaching the Department of Commerce today showed that Great Britain's foreign trade for 1922 improved her trade position materially as compared with 1921, in comparison with the preceding year, imports fell off £82,743,000, or $385,582,380, and exports increased £17,300,000, or $80,186,000, while re-exports were less by £3,274,000, or $15,256,840.

IRISH AGITATOR PARDONED

ALBANY, N.Y., Jan. 17.—James J. Larkin, the Irish agitator, who has served two years of a five-year prison term after conviction on a criminal charge, was pardoned by Governor Smith today.

CANADIAN TRADE VOLUME GREATER

Trade Summary for Last Month Shows Increase in Exports and Imports Over Corresponding Period

BALANCE OF TRADE IN CANADA'S FAVOR

Chief Increase in Exports in Vegetable Products—Figures for Last Nine Months Also Greater

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—Canada's exports of domestic produce and manufactured articles during December, 1922, were higher in value by $24,566,662 than the exports of December, 1921, as shown by the summary of Canadian trade for last month, issued today by the Customs and Excise Department.

Corresponding Totals

The totals for the two months were: December, 1922, $110,870,825; 1921, $86,304,163. Merchandise entered for consumption during last month increased $40,154,722 over imports of December, 1921, being December, 1922, $70,204,888; December, 1921, $60,050,166. Foreign merchandise exported from Canada in December, 1922, totalled $1,164,596, as against $881,561, in increase of $283,045. The grand total of Canadian trade for December, 1922, was higher by $35,004,429 last month than in the corresponding month of last year, being, 1922, $182,240,309; December, 1921, $147,233,880.

Nine Month Period

In the nine months of the fiscal year ended with December, 1922, exports of domestic merchandise increased $144,119,303 over the corresponding period of 1921. Imports in the same period increased $14,534,977, and foreign merchandise exported increased $128,939, making the increase in grand total trade for the nine months $138,783,279.

Balance Larger

The balance of exports of domestic merchandise last month over imports showed a large increase over 1921. In December, 1922, exports of domestic merchandise were $40,665,937 higher in value than were the imports for home consumption. In December, 1921, the value of exports over imports was $26,253,997. In the nine months ended December, 1922, exports were valued at $155,386,056 more than were imports for consumption, as against a balance of trade in Canada's favor of $26,807,740 during the nine months ended December, 1921.

The chief increase in exports were in agricultural vegetable products.

STATE CANADA NEEDS STABLE GOVERNMENT

Sane Business Methods Will Solve National Evils, Mr. Bowser and Dr. Tolmie Tell Audience

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 17.—Taking a leaf from Mr. Bonar Law's book, Mr. W. J. Bowser, K.C., leader of British Columbia Conservatives, tonight urged the necessity for tranquility and stable government as a cure for national evils. These could be given the country only by his party, he told a gathering of the Conservative party supporters here tonight. Mr. Bowser dealt at some length with the financial record of the Oliver government and, returning to his charges against Mr. F. G. Dawson, of Prince Rupert, said that he felt sure Premier Mackenzie King would not have appointed Mr. Dawson to the Canadian National Railway Board "if he had known as much about Mr. Dawson as he knows now."

Sane Business Methods

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, M.P., expressed the opinion that not new parties, but patience and sane business methods would solve the problems of the country.

Hon. H. H. Stevens said that he intended to review the appointment of Mr. Dawson before parliament next session. Mr. Stevens also said that he had supplied Mr. G. G. McGeer, K.C., the Provincial Government's counsel in the freight rate case, with the very material on which he had prepared for Premier Oliver the speech which the latter had memorized and was now delivering all over the country as his own. That was the constitutional argument. He described as mischievous suggestions by the Premier that British Columbia might withdraw from Confederation.

Mr. Bowser Cheered

Mr. Charles Jones, president of the Vancouver City Liberal-Conservative Association, presided and with him on the platform were Senator S. J. Crowe, Brig.-General J. A. Clark, M.P.; Captain George Black, M.P.; Mr. Leon J. Ladner, M.P.; Mr. Thomas Pearson, M.P.; Mrs. S. D. Scott, president of the Women's Conservative Association; Mr. A. C. Desbrisay, president of the Young Conservative Association; Mr. S. L. Howe and Mr. A. W. Edge, of Prince Rupert. The meeting was enthusiastic, and concluded with three cheers for Mr. Bowser.

Italian Premier Works Despite Influenza Attack

ROME, Jan. 17.—Premier Mussolino is slightly ill with influenza and confined to bed, but continues his work, receiving visitors, dictating letters and telegrams, and keeping in touch particularly with the international situation.

Russia Ready to Aid Germany Says Dispatch to Times

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The Riga correspondent of The Times says he learns from reliable sources that the Russian Soviet Government has decided to mobilize the five-year conscripts with a view to assisting Germany should Germany decide to resist French action.

FRUIT GROWERS IN ANNUAL SESSION

President Reviews Year's Activities of Provincial Association—Satisfactory Financial Report

KELOWNA, B.C., Jan. 17.—Activities during the past year of the executive of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' Association were reviewed in the presidential address, which occupied the delegates during most of the first session here today of the annual convention of the association. The meetings will continue until Friday.

A satisfactory financial report was submitted, and the way cleared for discussions during the next two days of matters of moment to the fruit growers.

Farmers Reappoint Provincial Secretary

VERNON, B.C., Jan. 17.—Mr. W. S. Atkinson was reappointed Provincial secretary of the B. C. United Farmers at this morning's session. Most of the morning was taken up discussing water and irrigation problems.

TURKISH DELEGATE BECOMES NERVOUS

GLEANS INFORMATION ON REPORT OF POSSIBLE COLLAPSE

British Foreign Secretary at Near East Peace Conference Believes Climax Should Be Reached

LAUSANNE, Jan. 17.—The Orient and Occident seem to be playing a game of waiting at the Near East Conference. Each side seems to be seeking to wear the other out. The Turks, as Orientals, play a good hand at this game, but Ismet Pasha betrayed some uneasiness today that he might be overplaying his hand.

The head of the Turkish delegation sent his secretary among the newspapermen to see if anybody knew anything about an alleged statement by Lord Curzon predicting the collapse of the conference, and describing the possibilities of signing peace as absolutely hopeless. Nobody was aware of such statement, but the British spokesmen have been openly pessimistic, and this has reached the ears of the Turks.

Wants Conclusion

As Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Lord Curzon feels that he would like to return to London as soon as possible, especially in view of the numerous problems now surrounding European affairs. He thinks two months enough to devote to Near Eastern discussion, and believes that things should be brought to a climax—good, he hopes; bad, if it has to be.

The British plan for presenting the treaty to the Turks has again been postponed, however, to permit of final negotiation on economic and financial matters like the Ottoman debt, in which France is especially interested, as Ismet Pasha today accompanied by French and British experts, will go over the financial questions in detail Friday with the French Government and bring back Saturday night to the Allies France's last word on the controversial questions involved. Next week, therefore, should see some development at Lausanne. Everybody is taking a hand at writing formulae for judicial guarantees, for foreigners in Turkey,

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LOG PRICES ARE DUE FOR ADVANCE

President of B.C. Loggers' Association Forecasts One Dollar Increase on February 1

VANCOUVER, Jan 17.—Prices of logs in British Columbia are to rise and the lumber mill men are also anticipating an advance. Mr. G. G. Johnson, president of the British Columbia Loggers Association, has issued a statement in connection with the log prices. The mills on Puget Sound, competing in the same market as British Columbia, are paying $14, $19 and $26 for fir logs, and $14 and $18 for hemlock. The addition they pay to wage charges brings the price to approximately $1 more per thousand. The present British Columbia list, he said, was $11, $17 and $25. He believes that on February 1 this price will advance $1, with hemlock at $14. Regarding cedar, he stated that the demand was noticeably increasing for lumber and shingle logs, and a material advance in price could be looked for in the next thirty days.

Rum Runners So Thick Sea Traffic Is Impeded

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The Atlantic rum running fleet will be requested to observe the "traffic regulations" of the sea, it was indicated today at coastguard headquarters. Acting on unofficial complaints that the flotilla of beverage carriers lying off Ambrose Channel lightship was impeding navigation, the coastguard ordered one of its vessels to the scene to warn skippers of the rum ships to observe the legal requirements as to riding lights and anchorage.

FRENCH SEIZE COAL AND ISSUE ORDERS TO WORK FORESTS

Policy of Requisitioning Meets German Defiance—Over Five Thousand Tons of Coke and Six Hundred Tons of Coal, Loaded in Cars by Germans, Rerouted for Distribution Among Allies

HUNDRED THOUSAND TROOPS IN VALLEY

Contradictory Reports of Italy's Attitude Include Report Italians May Replace American Troops at Coblenz—German Mine Owners Draft Reply to Order to Resume Deliveries

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The French Government has begun its policy of requisitioning in the Ruhr, it was announced this evening. Five thousand eight hundred tons of coke and six hundred tons of coal, which the Germans had loaded in cars, were taken and rerouted for distribution among the Allies. The French overseers in the Ruhr are simply giving an acknowledgment in return for the requisitioned coal, but the acknowledgment contains no promise to pay.

Penalty for Default

The French, Belgian and Italian Governments today gave the order immediately to commence working the state forests on the left bank of the Rhine as penalty for Germany's default in the delivery of timber, as established by the decision of the reparations commission on December 26.

ESSEN, Jan. 17.—The French economic mission has decided to content itself for the time being with the requisitioning of coal already mined and brought to the surface, diverting to France the cars already loaded and destined for the interior of Germany, and postponing for the present the idea of requisitioning the mines themselves.

Military Conquest

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—It is asserted here that the difficulties the French are encountering in the Ruhr have led to differences between Premier Poincare and Marshal Foch, the Marshal having demanded more troops, owing to the unexpected resistance by industrial magnates, and that if Foch is successful in his demand the French advance will be one of military conquest.

First Shut-Down

KATERINBURG, Jan. 17.—The first shut-down of a large industrial plant in the Ruhr since the Franco-Belgian occupation occurred today in this town, lying between Essen and Gelsenkirchen, when the Kellermann locomotive works, employing 5,000 men, ceased operations. The plant had been working on a nine-hour day schedule, but the workmen informed the management that in view of the French ruling set forth in General Degoutte's proclamation that the eight-hour day must be respected, they had decided to work only that number of hours, but insisted upon nine hours' pay. Thereupon the management closed down the plant.

Overtures From Rome

DUSSELDORF, Jan. 17.—Reports gained circulation here today that negotiations were going on between the French and Italian Governments, which, if successful, might result in Italian troops replacing the U.S. troops in the Coblenz bridgehead.

The reports declare that overtures from Rome have been made to the French Foreign Office asking that the Italian delegate on the Inter-Allied Rhineland commission be raised to the dignity of Italian High Commissioner on the Rhine.

Seize All Rhine Coal

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Late tonight the French announced their intention to seize all cargoes of coal now on

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Tacoma Judge Finds No Grounds for Holding Man Wanted in Canada

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—In the first case involving international law to be heard in the Superior Court here in several years, Judge W. D. Askren today released from custody V. H. Wilson, wanted in Vancouver, B.C., on the charge of defrauding Mrs. Jessie Barnes, of that city, of $4,000 last May. Wilson is now a resident of this city. Judge Askren said that after a review of the evidence he found no grounds for holding Wilson for the Canadian authorities.

COWPER SENT UP ON THEFT CHARGE

SAANICH OFFICIAL COMMITTED BY MAGISTRATE JAY

Defence Counsel Says Restitution Has Been Made—Will Take Speedy Trial and May Plead Guilty

Hector Spencer Cowper, clerk to the Municipality of Saanich for the last nine years, was committed for trial by Magistrate Jay yesterday on a charge of stealing the sum of $10,919.46 from the municipal funds.

Mr. J. B. Clearihue, appearing for the accused, reserved his defence. The defendant was not called upon to plead to the charge, which was supported by the evidence of Mr. Frederick Bolston, one of the municipal auditors. The proceedings were very brief, and seemed to be surprisingly so to the large crowd of spectators in the court room of the city police station.

It is understood that the accused man will be taken before Judge Lampman and will ask for a speedy trial. Judge Lampman is confined to his home by a slight indisposition, and it is not likely that the case will be heard today. No application for bail has been made, however, and it is probable that as soon as the judge is able to come to court the case will be brought before him.

Gives Up His Home

It was also said on good authority yesterday that Mr. Cowper would plead guilty. It is known that since he made confession before Reeve Watson and the auditors he has

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SENSATIONAL RISE IN B.C. MINE SHARES

"Struck Vein in Crosscut—Future Prospects Excellent," Reads Premier Co.'s Cable to England

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A sensational feature of the mining exchange here yesterday was the rise in the 2 1-2 shilling shares of the Selukwe Gold Mining Finance Company from 8 1-2 to 15 1-2 shillings. This Rhodesian company also own properties in British Columbia, and the sudden bound was due to a cable from Vancouver, as follows:

"Struck vein in crosscut. Large ore body. Undoubtedly main Premier Gold Mining Company vein. Consider it quite satisfactory. Future prospects excellent. Further information by cable later."

The Premier Company referred to in the cable owns adjoining property, and is a highly prosperous concern. This cable resulted in a turnover of fully 70,000 shares. Last year these shares changed hands at less than a shilling apiece.

French Invasion Hits Newfoundland Miners

Twenty-Five Hundred Miners Idle in Wabana District of Newfoundland Through Suspension of German Contracts for Supply of Ore Pending Settlement of Ruhr Dispute

SYDNEY, N. S., Jan. 17.—Twenty-five hundred iron miners are idle tonight and the greatest period of prosperity in the history of the Wabana district of Newfoundland has been brought temporarily to an end as the result of the French invasion of the Ruhr and the suspension of existing German contracts for the supply of Newfoundland ore, according to word received here. The Wabana mines have closed down upon receipt of advices from Germany, it was stated tonight.

In spite of the alleged statement of Herr Hugo Stinnes, contained in a Paris dispatch, that the Canadian contracts have been cancelled, it is stated authoritatively here that they have not finally terminated but only suspended until the present dispute between the French invaders and the resisting Ruhr operators is straightened out. The German steel makers pooled their interests and all Canadian or Newfoundland ore was sold in bulk to the pool.

Reported Cancelled

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The Dusseldorf correspondent of the Havas Agency telegraphs that he has learned from a reliable source that Herr Hugo Stinnes, the German industrialist, has cancelled contracts for iron ore which he had signed with Canadian companies.

His pretext, the correspondent states, is that France has seized the Ruhr.

In consequence of the cancellation, it is said 2,200 workers in Newfoundland will likely be thrown out of work. It is pointed out that the French operations in the Ruhr have not in any way affected the economic life in the region of the Stinnes works at Bochum, and that consequently the reason cited is merely a "pretext."

SURRENDERS TO CHIEF OF POLICE

Ronald Lay, Aged Nineteen, Surrenders and Admits Assault Upon Sooke Resident

While Provincial and city police were yesterday hunting for the miscreant who, on Monday night last, after stealing a motor car from the city, rode to Sooke, where he made an assault upon Mrs. Wareham, wife of an employee at the William Head Quarantine Station, Ronald Lay, aged nineteen years, of 2832 Douglas Street, walked into the office of Chief of Police John Fry at 5:30 o'clock yesterday and gave himself up, admitting he was the man the police were after.

Lay appeared quite self-possessed. He threw a copy of The Daily Colonist, telling of the police chase after the assailant of Mrs. Wareham, upon the chief's desk and remarked "I'm your man."

Lay was taken in charge by Chief Fry and locked up. He will be arraigned in the police court this morning on two charges, one of attempted indecent assault, and the other of burglary. The first charge arises out of the attack upon Mrs. Wareham; the other is consequent upon the robbery which took place at the home of Mr. Charles Mann, Hatley Park, where on Monday night a bicycle and a sum of money were stolen. Lay confessed to the police last evening that it was he who robbed the Mann household. He stated that after his assault upon Mrs. Wareham, he walked back to Hatley Park and stole the bicycle and money. As first reported to the police, the money stolen amounted to $6. Lay asserted, as a matter of fact, that he purloined $13 in cash in addition to the wheel. The bicycle he rode into the city and left it on Rock Bay Avenue, where it was subsequently found. The accused did not go to his home, but what his movements have been since he reached the city after his assault upon Mrs. Wareham is not known.

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British Chambers of Commerce Would Give Germany Time to Pay

LONDON, Jan. 17.—A resolution advocating a moratorium for Germany an agreed number of years, the immediate fixing of the sum which that country could pay within a reasonable period and some form of interest loan to her, was carried by the Association of British Chambers of Commerce today.

The president, Sir Arthur Shirley Benn, in asking that the resolution be adopted without discussion, said: "We want the Entente to continue."

Mr. Arthur Balfour, of Sheffield, in seconding the motion, expressed the belief that members were all in sympathy with France and that they did not want to make her position more difficult.

DEBT MISSION LEAVES TO CONSULT CABINET

Negotiations Between Britain and America Suspended—May Complete Through Embassy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Negotiations between the American and British debt commissions concerning the refunding of Great Britain's war debt to the United States have reached a stage regarded as making desirable a personal report by the British to the cabinet at home before the continuation of efforts to reach even a tentative agreement on terms.

Return to London

The conversations which have continued for ten days will be suspended after tomorrow's joint session, and the British will sail Saturday. The time and manner of the resumption of the negotiations then will rest with the London Government.

In both British and American circles today it was emphasized that there would be only a suspension of the negotiations; that a settlement of the debt must and would be reached. Both sides to the negotiations also were agreed that a speedy adjustment was desirable because of the effect upon world conditions generally.

Whether a British mission will be returned to the United States to continue the negotiations now in undetermined. It is regarded as probable, however, that the personal account of the negotiations to be given to the cabinet by Mr. Stanley Baldwin, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, who headed the British group, will clear the way for a completion of the negotiations through the British Embassy.

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JUDGE PARKER MARRIED

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Judge Alton B. Parker, United States Democratic candidate for president in 1904, and Mrs. Amelia B. Campebll, were married here today.

INVESTIGATE PROPOSED TARIFF ARRANGEMENTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Notice was given by the Interstate Commerce Commission today that it would investigate projected tariff arrangements entered into by American carriers with Canadian rail lines and the Northern Navigation Company, by which traffic originating in New England and Eastern trunk line territory destined to northwestern points in the United States would be moved via the Canadian rail and lake system. The commission explained that the merchant marine laws required that its permission must be obtained before foreign shipping companies could participate in domestic transportation.

WILL GO THROUGH TO BERLIN IF NECESSARY

Stern Conflict of Will Between France and Germany, With Temper on Both Sides Rising

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The Times' Dusseldorf correspondent says that from an economic point the situation in the Ruhr is distinctly worse. German determination is hardening and the irritation of the populaton is increasing. Officials state that food prices have risen 50 per cent since the occupation and the requisitioning of hay, straw and gasoline is causing great hardship.

The Times' correspondent interviewed some of the industrial leaders who attended Tuesday's meeting with the French, and they were emphatic in declaring that nothing would induce them to change their attitude or consider resumption of reparations deliveries while the Franco-Belgian troops were in the Ruhr.

The correspondent quotes a French general as saying there is nothing they are not prepared to do to compel the industrialists to abandon their obstinate attitude.

"Do you mean that you will go to Berlin?" the correspondent asked.

"Most certainly we will go to Berlin, if necessary," the official replied seriously.

The writer concludes: "France and Germany have met in a stern contest of wills, and the temper of both sides is rising. Short of an open conflict, the situation could hardly be worse."

SIR HENRY THORNTON SPEAKS AT EDMONTON

Elevators Should Be Provided by Private Capital to Leave Railway Funds for Other Purposes

EDMONTON, Jan. 17.—Nearly 500 guests crowded the Macdonald Hotel last evening to listen to Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, in one of the most satisfying addresses that has ever been delivered in this city by a public official. The enormity of the problems with which he is confronted, whether they are railway problems or, as most of them are, essentially great economic questions affecting the whole of Canada, is recognized and the fact was emphasized that it is the patience, forethought and care that is displayed now that will determine the destiny of the generations to come.

Increased elevator facilities at tidewater and grain rates were touched on briefly by Sir Henry, who gave his opinion at great length of these matters to a delegation from the Board of Trade during the morning to the effect that in his opinion the former should be provided by private capital so that the railway may use the funds at its disposal in the building of branch lines to assist farmers in marketing their product. In regard to grain rates, he does not consider that the existing rates are an insurmountable barrier to Alberta using Vancouver as an outlet for its grain.

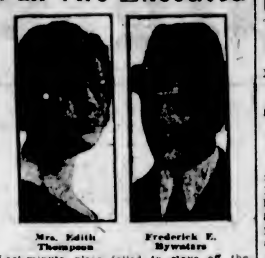
The special party left for the coast last night.

Censure Government on Trapping Regulations

VERNON, B.C., Jan. 17.—United Farmers at their convention last evening in a resolution censured the Government for not issuing trapping regulations two months prior to the opening of the season.

Delegates who had money coming to them from the pooling of travelling expenses turned it into the central treasury to help out on the deficit. Today's session will be taken up with a discussion on the water question as it affects irrigation.

Pair Are Executed



Mrs. Edith Thompson — Frederick E. Bywaters

Last-minute pleas failed to stave off the hanging of Mrs. Edith Thompson and Frederick Bywaters, of London, accused of murdering the former's husband.

WOMEN LIBERALS ARE ROUNDLY CRITICIZED

Vancouver City Association Brings String of Complaints—Seven Members Expelled

VANCOUVER, Jan. 17.—Suspension was passed upon the Women's Liberal Association by the executive of the Vancouver City Liberal Association at last night's meeting.

The suspension is to be effective until the women's association abides by a ruling made six months ago by the city association.

The resolution was adopted after a vigorous debate in which the women's organization was called to task for having expelled seven of its members and refusing to reinstate them, for having failed to change its annual meeting date from May to October and for refusing to comply with other findings of a commission which investigated the dissension in the Women's Liberal Association last Spring.

BOLD KIDNAPPING IS CARRIED OUT AT CORK

Three Armed Men Invade Meeting, Secure Two Inspectors Holding Inquiry, and Drive Off

CORK, Jan. 17.—A sensational kidnapping was carried out today when three armed men invaded a meeting of the Board of Guardians, at which local Government inquiry was proceeding.

The men, presenting revolvers, ordered all those present, including the guardians, solicitors, inspectors and reporters, to put up their hands and then said: "We want Murphy and McGrath." Seamus Murphy and Sean McGrath, the two inspectors holding the inquiry, stepped forward and were immediately removed by the armed men, the leader warning all present not to leave the room for half an hour or use the telephone. The inspectors were driven off in a motor car.

AUSTRALIAN FLEET IN GOOD SHAPE

Actually Better Than Admiralty Squadrons in East Indies Says Commander Allison

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Jan. 17.—Commodore Allison, commander of the Australian fleet, in an interview in The Sydney Herald, declared that the Australian squadron was actually better than the squadrons maintained by the admiralty in the East Indies, African or Northern American stations.

Recruiting was not good in Australia at present, he said, and it would be necessary to get more ratings from England to encourage recruitings. He expressed the opinion that there should be a more constant interchange of the officers in Australia with those of the home fleet, so that the Australians might keep in touch with the latest ideas. He said he hoped that the next Imperial naval conference would decide on a naval policy and let Australia know what was required of her.

COMBAT INDIFFERENCE ON LEAGUE OF NATIONS

PARIS, Jan. 17.—An association is being promoted by the younger members of the universities to "combat the indifference of public opinion which is responsible for the insufficient utilization of the League of Nations."

One object of the organization is to mould the attitude of those who may one day hold influential positions. Lord Robert Cecil has been asked to speak at a special demonstration.

MAIL SACK STOLEN

NELSON, B. C., Jan. 16.—A mail sack was stolen or lost between Kootenay Landing and Rossland last Saturday, it was learned today. Inspector Stewart, of Calgary, is investigating, with the help of the Dominion and Provincial police.

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Mr. Richard Zalenzoski, McLean, Sask., writes:—"I had been suffering continuously with boils for three years, and during that time I tried many different remedies without any success whatever. In spite of all my efforts I was compelled to go to the hospital. That was in the Fall of the year, and right in the busiest time of the season. Upon my return home it just took about two weeks until my neck and arms were again occupied by the boils which made me feel very sick and miserable.

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GOES TO MAINLAND TO MEET C.N. CHIEF

MAYOR AND BUSINESS LEADERS WILL FORM ESCORT

Sir Henry Thornton Will Probably Play Golf Here Tomorrow Morning—To Speak at Luncheon

Mayor Hayward will leave tonight for Vancouver, where he will join President J. W. Spencer, of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, chairman of the transportation committee of the Chamber, and meet Sir Henry Worth Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, on his arrival there.

Mr. Schwengers went to the Mainland on Tuesday night, and Mr. Spencer followed him last night. The three Victorians will form a reception committee to escort Sir Henry and his party to the city tomorrow morning.

It was announced yesterday that, in addition to the Canadian National officials who are traveling with Sir Henry Thornton, Mr. Bell, Deputy Minister of Railways at Ottawa, will also come to Victoria, and an opportunity will be taken of impressing him with the necessity of additional facilities in order that the city's transportation system may be operated economically and in such a way as to give a substantial return on the heavy investment of the Canadian Government in harbor and terminal works here.

Will Play Golf

The fame of Victoria's links has impressed Sir Henry, and he wants to play golf here tomorrow morning, so that may cause a slight alteration in the plans prepared by the Chamber of Commerce committee that has been dealing with the matter. It may be necessary to present the data on Vancouver Island industries and transportation affairs to him during the luncheon which he is to address at 12:30 o'clock.

Immediately after the luncheon Sir Henry will go to the Parliament Buildings to confer with Hon. J. D. MacLean, Acting Premier and Minister of Railways, and after that the arrangements will be drawn up to suit his convenience. It may be necessary to cancel the proposed cruise of the Victoria and Esquimalt harbors, but some other way will be provided for gaining a first-hand knowledge of conditions.

A committee of the Esquimalt Board of Trade will present plans during the day for the creation of a switching area at Macaulay Point and the construction of another wharf in that vicinity to provide a direct link with the terminals.

Efforts are being made to have Sir Henry Thornton remain more than one day in Victoria, as it is felt that the time set aside for his visit here will be insufficient to give him a very thorough grasp of the local situation.

FRENCH SEIZE COAL AND ISSUE ORDERS TO WORK FORESTS

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the Rhine and the Herne canal destined for unoccupied Germany, says a dispatch to The Times from Essen.

A French commission has arrived at the port of Emden to control German coal exports, according to a Central News dispatch from Berlin.

A dispatch to The Times from Essen says the German coal mine owners this afternoon handed the French authorities a carefully drafted reply to the order of M. Coste, the French inspector-general of mines, for them to resume deliveries of coal.

The reply, says the dispatch, points out that the Versailles treaty recognizes Germany as a sovereign state, hence it follows that German subjects owe obedience to their laws and their authorities.

Against the Fatherland

It argues that no one can be forced to take the dishonorable step of acting against their own country.

A copy of this letter is being signed by each magnate, who will add a personal declaration of inability to comply with M. Coste's order, which, they will assert, would be a dishonorable action against the Fatherland. Each signer will further express the conviction that his attitude is in full conformity with the Treaty of Versailles, the rights of nations, and the laws of warfare as prescribed by the convention at The Hague.

Military Operations Completed

Another stage of the French progress in the Ruhr was reached today with the announcement by the French command that military operations had been completed. France has put nearly 100,000 troops into the Ruhr valley, taking her occupation to the extreme limits, if not beyond, of the territory authorized under the treaty, and she is now about to try the effect of force to compel the German mine owners to produce coal for France and Belgium.

All that France has actually achieved thus far has been the fall of the mark to more than 80,000 to the pound sterling, or a drop of nearly 40,000 points within a week. The French intend to take possession of the mines tomorrow, and threaten to prosecute the recalcitrant mining magnates. The general belief in London is that this will be only the beginning of the French troubles, and that the bayonet can do everything but pick coal.

Much seems to depend on the attitude of the Ruhr miners, which is still unknown. The British Government continues to observe a watchful waiting attitude. Italy's policy is not defined.

Lack Confirmation

Reports that the Italian Government is trying to mediate between Germany and France cannot be confirmed, and it is noteworthy that Germany is delivering, or offering to deliver, reparations coal to Italy, and that the German Minister has not been withdrawn from Rome, indicating there is hope in Berlin that Italy may be detached from the Franco-Belgian policy.

On the other hand, there also is a report of possible replacement of the American troops on the Rhine by Italian troops, but this is directly opposed to Premier Mussolini's announcement of his policy at a recent cabinet council, and may possibly be explained as indicative of some compromise proposal from Italy to France.

According to the Paris correspondents, nothing is known there of Italian mediation.

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MERCHANTS WILL SEE PREMIER ON STAMP TAX

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—A delegation representing the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, and the Wholesale Merchants' Association, will wait on the Premier, Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, and members of the Cabinet, on Thursday, Jan. 25, to lay before them their views regarding the present operation of the sales tax and the tax on receipts, and to submit proposed amendments thereto.

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MR. HOLLOWAY AGAIN CHAIRMAN OF BOARD

Saanich School Trustees Hold First Meeting—Mr. R. R. F. Sewell Secretary Pro Tem

At its initial meeting of the year on Tuesday evening, the Saanich School Board selected Trustee P. Holloway as its chairman for a third term. This year is Mr. Holloway's fourth on the board.

Mr. R. R. F. Sewell, acting clerk of the municipality, filled the position of secretary to the board last night, being appointed to that office, pro tem, in place of Mr. H. H. Cowper. A general discussion of various matters, including that of filling the secretary's position, took place. It appears likely that a member of the municipal office staff will be appointed to the post.

The board will meet again on Monday night at 7:30, when the question of the secretary will be considered, and the estimates for 1923 will be discussed. Wednesday night's meeting was fully attended. The board now consists of Trustees P. Holloway (chairman), F. V. Hobbs, C. H. Oldfield, George McWilliam and J. Cheetham.

Horse radish is a native of England. The turnip originally came from Rome.

FRED DEAL GETS ANOTHER CHANCE

NEW TRIAL GRANTED NEGRO CONDEMNED TO HANG

Court of Appeal, Three Judges Against Two, Holds His Defence Was Not Put to Trial Jury

Fred Deal will not hang next Friday week for the murder in Vancouver of Constable Robert McBeath. By a majority judgment delivered at the Court of Appeal yesterday, the convicted negro was granted a new trial, and Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald's sentence of death was set aside.

The division of the appellate bench found three judges in favor of a new trial, and two for no interference with the verdict and sentence of the assize court. Chief Justice Macdonald was supported by Mr. Justice Galliher in the minority judgment. Mr. Justice Martin, Mr. Justice McPhillips and Mr. Justice Eberts were as one in the opinion that Deal's defence at the trial had not been adequately presented to the jury in the charge of the learned trial judge, and that a new trial was essential to a just settlement of the issue between the Crown and the prisoner.

A Three-Two Division

The judgments as delivered from the bench were confined to the bare statements of the findings by each of the judges. Written judgments were later handed down by Chief Justice Macdonald, Mr. Justice Martin and Mr. Justice McPhillips. Mr. Justice Galliher's written decision merely recorded his agreement with the Chief Justice. Mr. Justice Eberts' judgment on the side of a new trial, was oral only.

"The result is that a new trial will be granted," said Chief Justice Macdonald, when his four colleagues had indicated their view. Mr. Robert Smith, for the Crown, and Mr. C. S. Arnold, counsel for Deal, were present in court to hear delivery of the judgment. Mr. Arnold was afterwards congratulated by several lawyers on the outcome of his fight for his client's life. Mr. Smith authorized the statement that Deal would be brought to trial again at the next assize court in Vancouver, probably to be held in March next.

The issue was presented to the Court of Appeal and came on for hearing when the court convened last Monday week, by way of case stated at the request of Mr. Arnold by Mr. Justice Macdonald, the trial judge; and took the form of two questions:

Basis of Appeal

(1)—"Was I right in refusing to instruct the jury as requested by counsel for the prisoner?"

(2)—"Is the prisoner entitled to a new trial?"

In the result the majority judges answered the first question in the negative, the second in the affirmative.

The instruction to the trial jury asked for by Mr. Arnold and refused by the trial judge was:

"If the jury believe's Deal's evidence that he did not point the gun at McBeath, or did not point it at Quirk, and he had no intent—no intention of shooting anybody, and in the scuffle the gun was discharged and McBeath was unfortunately killed, then Deal is not guilty of the crime with which he is charged."

The judgments of Chief Justice Macdonald and Mr. Justice Martin, which fairly represent the opposing views of the appeal bench on the question of a new trial, are given below in full.

Mr. Justice McPhillips

Mr. Justice McPhillips specifically records his agreement with the arguments of Mr. Justice Martin. He goes on to say that in his opinion the prisoner "had the inalienable right to have his defence placed before the jury as made—notwithstanding that it may even bristle with improbabilities. . . . In my opinion there should be a new trial."

"The stated case itself," says Mr. Justice McPhillips, "is indicative of a doubt in the mind of the learned judge—and with the greatest respect for the learned trial judge, in a capital case above all others, there must be no room for doubt. . . . I cannot find that the learned judge put the defence of the prisoner to the jury, nor does the learned judge state that he did so in the form stated in the case. On the contrary, the judge states unequivocally that he refused to accede to the request of counsel." The judgments of Chief Justice Macdonald is as follows:

Chief Justice Macdonald

When in a murded trial the Crown proves that the accused caused the death of the deceased, it has made out a prima facie case. Upon such proof a presumption arises that the accused intended to kill. But the presumption is a rebuttable one. The accused may show that the deed was done in self defence and therefore was not criminal at all, or that it was done under such provocation as for the moment to deprive him of self control, in which case it will be reduced to the crime of intentional manslaughter, or that it was done without intention to kill, in which it will be either unintentional manslaughter or murder, according to the circumstance in which it was done. If the accused at the time of the shooting was engaged in a criminal enterprise, for instance, if his intention was to escape by violence, and he without intending to kill, does so, he is guilty of murder, because when he embarked on his criminal enterprise he would know that his conduct might bring about death, that is to say, death would be not an unexpected consequence of his act, though he did not intend to kill. Therefore, if death result from such criminal enterprise of the accused, the crime, even in the absence of intention to kill, would be murder. A good illustration of this is the recent case of R. vs. Robinson, in which one of two men intending to hold up another shot him. The other had no direct connection with the firing of the shot, but because they were jointly engaged in a criminal enterprise, namely, to hold up their victim at the point of a revolver, each was guilty of the crime of murder.

But when a person engaged in an act which is not criminal by accident and without negligence, kills another, he is guilty of no crime. If, on the other hand, he is engaged in an act which though criminal is not likely to result in the death of anyone, but nevertheless death occurs through accident, his crime is that of manslaughter only. This is called unintentional manslaughter.

In a murder trial there is no appeal to this court except on a question of law. The trial judge may state facts, which we must accept as the true facts and the only facts, whether they are so or not, and upon these facts give the answer in law.

After the trial the prisoner's counsel applied to the judge to state a case for appeal, which was acceded to and the judge has done so, and in it has told us that after he had delivered his charge to the jury the prisoner's counsel took objection to its sufficiency, and requested him to tell the jury that:

If the jury believes his (the accused's) evidence that he did not point this gun at McBeath or did not point it at Quirk, and he had no intent—no intention of shooting anybody and in the scuffle the gun was discharged and McBeath was unfortunately killed, then he (the accused) is not guilty of the crime with which he is charged.

The learned judge refused to do so, and the question we have to answer and the only question we can answer on the facts is:

"Was (he) right in refusing to instruct the jury as so requested by counsel for the prisoner?"

There is another question:

"Is the prisoner entitled to a new trial?"

But that is superfluous, since the court has power by statute to order a new trial should the first question be answered in the negative.

Now I have no hesitation in saying that such a direction would have been misdirection. The character of the scuffle is not stated. Even if the jury believed the facts as stated they could not properly acquit of the charge of murder. They would have to go further and ascertain the character of the scuffle, which is left unascertained by the above statement of facts.

The transcript can only be looked at for the purpose of ascertaining whether there was in fact such evidence as was alleged in counsel's request, because if there were no basis for the statement which the judge was requested to make, clearly he would not be wrong in his refusal. The instruction asked for is only partially supported by the accused's evidence, and this is a further reason why the judge should have refused to give it.

It may be that the judge's charge was open to objection in other respects, but I have no right to say so. All that this court has power to do is to answer the question submitted and no other.

I would answer the first question in the affirmative, which makes it unnecessary to answer the second.

(Sgd.) J. A. MACDONALD,
C. J. A.

Victoria, B.C., January 17, 1923.

The judgment of Mr. Justice Martin follows:

Mr. Justice Martin

This is an appeal, on a case stated, from the conviction of the appellant at the Vancouver Assizes on the 9th of November last, before the Hon Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald, for the murder of Police Constable McBeath, and a new trial is asked for upon the ground that the principal defence of the accused was not presented to the jury by the learned trial judge, and consequently he did not have that fair trial which is his right in this and all other countries which are civilized.

It is conceded, as it must be, that he is entitled to have his defence in all its distinct branches fully and completely submitted to the jury, vide, e.g., R. vs. Theriault (1894), 2 C.C.C., 444; R. vs. Blythe (1909), 15 C.C.C., 224.

So mindful, indeed, is our system of jurisprudence of the necessity to take every precaution before a fellow creature is deprived of his life by legal process that the courts of Canada will not accept a plea of guilty in a capital case, but will direct a plea of not guilty to be entered upon the record and, if necessary, assign counsel to the accused in order that he may not, because of poverty, ignorance, despair, insanity or otherwise, fail to have his defence, if any, brought forward after the Crown has made out a prima facie case against him.

This essential obligation upon the presiding judge to see that the case of the accused is fully and fairly presented to the jury was recognized by the learned judge below, because in his charge to the jury (Case, p. 50), he says, referring to the defence, that the killing was in self defence, that "it was not pressed to any extent by the accused, but it is my duty to refer to all possible defences, especially in a murder trial." But it is objected that though the learned judge charged the jury upon that defence (which he says upon the same page was not even argued, confirming counsel's statement to us to that effect) and also at length upon the second defence of provocation, yet he entirely omitted to give any direction upon the third and principal and (pending verification) most plausible defence, viz., that the killing was the result of an accident owing to the accused's revolver having been inadvertently discharged during a scuffle between the accused and Constables Quirk and McBeath; in other words, homicide per infortunium, as the older cases have it, or by misadventure, in more modern language.

To satisfy myself upon this vital point I have since the argument reexamined the whole charge with great care and can only come to the conclusion that there is nothing therein which can be attributed to such third defence, and the brief, not to say casual, reference to the "intention" with which the accused fired the revolver (or "gun," as the witnesses termed it), or his refusal to admit that he fired it at all, are either connected with the two defences that were dealt with, or so detached from any defence at all as to convey no intimation to the jury that a third defence was being set up and relied upon. Because of this grave omission the prisoner's counsel, at the conclusion of the learned judge's charge, asked him to charge the jury thus:

If the jury believes his (the accused's) evidence that he did not point it at Quirk and he had no intent—no intention of shooting anybody and in the scuffle the gun was discharged and McBeath was unfortunately killed, then he (the accused) is not guilty of the crime with which he is charged.

But the learned judge refused to do so, giving no reason for that crucial refusal except this general statement:

Well, that point I would rather leave as it is. I think I was sufficiently fair to the accused. (Case, p. 60).

It is, however, quite clear, to me at least, that, speaking with all possible respect, the learned judge had failed to realize the effect of the evidence of the accused (supplemented by that of Johnson) which, if the jury chose to believe it (in the exercise of their exclusive jurisdiction to pass upon its verity) in preference to the very different account given by Constable Quirk, showed that at the worst he could only be found guilty of manslaughter. His account of the matter was, in brief, that after he was arrested and pulled out of his motor car on Granville Street, on the accusation of being drunk, and taken by the two constables to the police telephone box at the corner of Granville and Davie Streets, he was left there with Constable McBeath, the other officer, Quirk, having crossed Davie Street to go back to the car; that recalling to mind the fact that he had a revolver hidden upon his person he ran away from McBeath so as to secretly get rid of it and in so doing crossed Davie Street, having pulled the weapon out from under his belt and holding it in his hand as he ran to the car to secret it therein; that just as he had crossed Davie Street he was stopped by Quirk, who seized his hand and the gun in it (Case, p. 3-4) and hit him on the head with a blackjack; that McBeath then came up and both officers seized and choked him and both of them struck him so severely that he was "knocked out" and lost consciousness; that he had never pointed or fired the gun at anyone before he was seized and struck (Case, p. 44), or afterwards that he could remember, though he "had some recollection of hearing a shot . . . some noise like a shot," in the scuffle, but did not know how many shots (Case, p. 34); and that the next thing he did remember was being put into the patrol wagon. The witness Johnson testified to six or seven shots in all having been fired in the course of the scuffle between the three men, at the end of which they "fell right over in a heap, over to the edge of the sidewalk," and it is common ground that several shots were fired out of that revolver some time at least during the whole affair, which was of short duration. It is therefore apparent that the facts deposed to on behalf of the accused (in other words, his evidence) were, if believed, unquestionably open to the inference that the shots had been fired in the scuffle by misadventure in some unexplained way by one of the participants therein, and such being the case, that whole aspect of the occurrence constituting, if true, a good defence to the charge of murder, should have been presented to the jury, who could, if they chose to believe it, as aforesaid, have returned the lesser verdict of manslaughter thereupon.

It is really unnecessary, now, to go into the authorities upon excusable homicide, and so I shall only cite the following for reference and guidance later: R. vs. Archer (1858), F. & F. 351; R. vs. Wesley, Ib., 528; Stanley vs. Powell (1891), Q.B. 86; R. vs. Gorges (1916), 25 Cox 218; Roscoe's Cr. Evidence (1921), 814, 833; Archbold's Cr. Pleading (1922), 870, 885, 896; Russell on Crimes (1910), 780, 783 (n), 808.

I have no doubt that there should be a new trial on the ground that the principal defence was excluded from the jury, and so I have discussed the evidence as little as possible for obvious reasons, but it has been necessary to do so to a certain extent in view of the submission pressed by the Crown counsel that there was no evidence of the discharge of the revolver in the scuffle, which submission is, in my opinion, quite untenable.

The case of R. vs. Gorges, supra, does not assist the Crown, because there the conviction was not for murder, as here, but manslaughter only, and it was supported, because such a verdict was the most favorable that the accused could possibly have obtained upon his own evidence.

The result is that the first question, viz.:

Was I right in refusing to instruct the jury as so requested by counsel for the prisoner?

should be answered in the negative, and, therefore, there must be a new trial.

(Sgd.) ARCHER MARTIN,
J. A.

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FOUR MEN DIE IN TRAIN COLLISION

PLEASANT GROVE, Utah, Jan. 16.—Four persons were killed today in a freight train collision on the Salt Lake route near Valley, Utah. All four were alleged to have been hoboes.

ROBBERS BURN WAY TO WASHINGTON BANK SAFE

SPOKANE, Jan. 17.—Robbers who burned their way into the safe in the State Bank of Fairfield, Wash., last night escaped with about $5,000 in Liberty Bonds, negotiable notes, jewelry and cash, according to word received here today. They cut every telephone and telegraph wire entering the town except one to Spokane, it was stated.

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C.N.R. DEVELOPMENT

From the standpoint of the development of local industry an exceedingly important factor that should not be overlooked in any memorandum presented to Sir Henry Thornton, is that dealing with the provision by the Canadian National Railways of car shops on Vancouver Island. Under the agreement which the Canadian Northern entered into with this Province the company made provision to "erect and maintain, within three miles of the city of Victoria, all of the workshops, repair-shops and roundhouses which it may require in connection with the secondly described line (the Island division of the Canadian Northern Pacific) and which it may establish at or near the southern terminus of such line." There may be doubt regarding the responsibility of the Canadian National Railways, which took over the Canadian Northern Pacific, to carry out the undertakings made by the latter to this Province, but in some respects a moral, if not legal, obligation should exist, and in any case there are features connected with the establishment of such car shops here that should not be overlooked.

The first consideration is to get the Island division of the Canadian National Railways completed. Before we can expect car shops there must be traffic developed on a paying basis. Before there can be sufficient traffic the Canadian National Railways must be completed through the southern portion of the Island, either to Barkley Sound or the Alberni Canal. It must have a terminus on the West Coast. Industrial development on the southern end of the Island rests very largely in the hands of the Canadian National Railways, and is contingent on the transportation facilities which that organization will provide. The road as it stands is fulfilling no purpose which can be described as useful. It is a losing investment and will remain such until it is completed as originally intended. This is a fact which should be impressed on Sir Henry Thornton. Indeed, we believe it is one of the most important factors connected with the whole situation, for in large measure the terminal facilities here, apart from what may be expected from the grain traffic, are dependent for trade on the provision of a completed Island railroad connecting Victoria with the West Coast.

Any policy designed to complete this railway will emphasize the importance of the establishment of workshops in this vicinity as provided for in the agreement between the Province and the Canadian Northern Pacific. Climatic conditions for all the year round work at such car shops are all that could be desired. In connection with the naval establishment at Esquimalt there is machinery of a variety of kinds available which is now lying idle, representing an investment that is producing no returns. It is the property of the Dominion Government. Car shops could be established here—because the Government owns property, machinery and buildings suitable for the purpose—more cheaply than in any other part of the Dominion. Mr. John Jardine, whose memorandum to the Government on the subject of terminal facilities we published last Sunday, goes so far as to suggest the establishment of car shops in the vicinity of Victoria to supply the building and repairing of the rolling stock of the entire Pacific Division of the Canadian National Railways. The suggestion is entirely feasible, and should be emphasized in any representations made to Sir Henry Thornton. We draw attention now to these features of industrial development lest their importance should be lost sight of in the memorandum being submitted to the head of the Canadian National Railways.

HOME PRODUCTS

Major D. Martyn, the Provincial Industrial Commissioner, in an address he delivered to the Kiwanis Club, emphasized that one way to promote industrial development is for the public to patronize home products. The truth of this is self evident. It is a truth that is beginning to impress itself on the people, but we are not at all sure that the retail agencies are doing all that lies in their power to foster the sale of home products. Half the battle to promote the sale of home products lies in the energy displayed in pushing their sale and advertising their values. The other half lies in the full appreciation by the public of the good results that will ensue through keeping their money at home, and, therefore, making it available for investment in industrial opportunities and in the extension of existing manufactures, an extension which would be demanded by the fact that people were creating a demand for home products.

We have had home products' sales here and they have done good. The trouble has been that there has been no sustained effort in this direction. For a brief period the local stores would try to push the sale of local manufactures and local produce, and then the effort would cease. We have been spasmodic, and nothing really tangible is accomplished in this way. In this matter of promoting the sale of home products it seems to us that the Chamber of Commerce's industrial committee has a task which it can accomplish without any undue effort. Many of the retail stores in the city are represented on the Chamber of Commerce. A united effort, and a persistent and progressive campaign by those stores to induce people to purchase the home manufactured or grown article in preference to the imported variety, could not fail to be productive of the most encouraging results. We have said that half the battle lies with the retail agencies themselves. They have it within their power to encourage industrial development in the way stated.

Again and again information has come to us of the difficulties people have experienced in securing local goods in the stores, and we have been told too, that there is little or no attempt to push their sale when they are available. If this condition really exists then it is a deplorable one, and it will tend to offset most of the energies expended in other directions to promote industrial development. One of the first efforts in the new industrial campaign should be an organized movement to foster the sale of home products. The Chamber of Commerce, with the sanction of the retail store owners, might even go so far as to hold a series of meeting to impress upon the store clerks the desirability of pushing the sale of local wares. In the campaign now beginning there is no aspect of industrial development that should be overlooked. This question of inculcating a belief in and a desire for home products is easily one of the most important in any effort to bringing about local prosperity.

LIFE-SAVING FACILITIES

It is evident from an interview he has given to this newspaper that Mr. A. W. Neill, M.P., is not to blame because there are not adequate life-saving accessories on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. It would seem that he has been pressing the matter ever since he was elected to Parliament as the member for Comox-Alberni. Now, with the evidence in support of his contentions strengthened by the recent disaster which overcame the SS. Alaskan, he should be in a position to sweep away the lethargy which has hitherto prevailed on the subject. His proposal for the locating and maintenance at Barkley Sound of a powerful seagoing tug for life-saving purposes is very much to the point, coupled as it is with the advocacy of wireless at the lighthouses and added precautionary methods for the rapid repair of telegraph and telephone wires. Mr. Neill is of opinion that lifeboats such as that stationed at Bamfield are useless in really rough weather in the open Pacific, and probably he will be sustained in this belief by most seafaring men.

Mr. Neill, in his advocacy of the establishment of a sea-going tug for West Coast purposes, should have the support of this city. There is responsibility somewhere for life-saving facilities and in our opinion it rests with the Dominion Government. There is no question of politics of any character involved; it is simply one of human life. What was done or undone in the past has no bearing on the situation, for it is safeguards for the future that must be provided if further loss of life is to be averted. The Alaskan wreck will spur on Mr. Neill to redouble his representations at Ottawa. He should have the support of all marine interests. He asks for this support, and it should be forthcoming without any delay. The most important of the life-saving accessories to concentrate on are the provisions of a sea-going tug and the installation of wireless at the lighthouses. These are eminently practical suggestions which should be urged until they are provided.

What the new political agrarian party should interest itself in about the finances of British Columbia is not the method of bookkeeping, which leaves little to be desired, but the incidence of expenditure in relation to its effect on Provincial development. That is where the shoe pinches.

Sir Henry Thornton is insistent in putting forward the idea that elevator facilities should be established with private capital. With the concessions offered at this port and because the Canadian National Railways own the land and control the docks, as well as the merchant marine which would carry the cargoes, his viewpoint may be different where Victoria is concerned.

The sudden death of Mr. W. C. Kennedy, the Federal Minister of Railways, at a time when he was believed to be well on the road to recovery after his recent illness, will come as a shock to Government circles. He never had much of a chance to become actively identified with the duties of the office to which he was appointed in the Mackenzie King Government, as his illness had been prolonged. His death is the first break in the ranks of the King Government since it came into power a year ago.

Blackmail

The Story of a Millionaire's Love Adventures

By JOHN GOODWIN

CHAPTER XXI (Continued)

The Proposal

Lightfoot took his leave. It was less than an hour later that Mr. Dufour called at Queen's Gate, and the footman, who supposed him to be a coiffeur, executed the order he received, and showed the man forthwith into Myra's boudoir.

The visitor was looking sullen and uneasy. As the door closed, he and the woman faced each other in silence. Myra, reclining in her armchair, scanned his dark face, beard, and waxed moustache with keen curiosity and some inward amusement. He, on the other hand, stared at her as if fascinated. He had seen Myra before, at a distance, and thought her the most beautiful woman in London. He was not far wrong. Every trait of her face, every line of her figure, attracted him strangely. And yet he was visibly ill at ease, and had come only under compulsion.

"Well, Mr. Martin Rivers," said Myra with a cynical smile at last breaking the silence, "let me congratulate you on an admirable disguise!"

"What do you want with me?" he repeated.

"To leave the service you have been in and enter mine," said Myra. She rose from her chair, and came slowly towards him, her eyes still fixed on his own, her voice now soft and low as a flute. "To do my will and obey me. I did not bring you here to threaten you Martin Rivers, but to show you I am your friend. I promise you wealth and safety—and vengeance, if you care for it; only do the simple things I ask of you. Are you so devoted to Kenneth Thorne that you must still be at his beck and call? Is he still your master, and are you his dog?"

"Thorne? Curse Thorne!" said Rivers hoarsely. "He has treated me like a cur! I've gone through all this for him, and he's flung me over and deserted me!" He turned back to her suddenly. "Will you and Lightfoot do anything for me? I don't know what your game is. I wouldn't have trusted you a week back, nor come near you if I could help it. You'll stick to me, and not let me down?

"Here's my hand on it!" said Myra.

As her soft palm pressed his a thrill ran through his veins like fire.

"I'll do what I'm set to do," he muttered. "What is needed?"

Myra placed her hands upon his shoulders, and whispered half a dozen sentences, her perfumed breath stirring his hair. Rivers listened, looked her in the eyes, and stood dumb-struck.

"Is it not the best and safest—for you?" said Myra softly. "Thorne goes to Blackhaven and remains there. You set the seal on your own safety, taking little or no risk in the meantime, and receive £300 down—for your entry into my service."

Rivers drew a long breath. Then he gave a quick nod of assent.

"Go from here to Mr. Lightfoot's house, 80 Charles Street," said Myra. "Place yourself in his hands entirely. He will pay you your reward. It is but the beginning of what you will receive from me."

Martin looked at her, his pulses beating fast, but she pointed to the door, and he went like a man in a dream. The moment he had gone, Myra rang up Lightfoot on the telephone.

Before noon next day, Lightfoot called at Queen's Gate, and placed in Myra's hands six admirably taken flashlight photographs showing, enlarged and magnified six different representations of a livid T-shaped cicatrix upon a singularly white and unblemished skin, just below the sterno-vertebral rib, taken at close quarters and showing no more than their immediate surroundings. He also produced measurements on a card.

Myra scanned them keenly, her eyes gleaming as she held them to the light.

"Well done, Simon!" she said softly. "There are the very marks, then, that are so minutely described in the prison records. We have them here with absolute accuracy—the scars themselves. You have brought me the winning card at last!"

"It's a big stake we're playing for," muttered Lightfoot, "and I'll see it through—though it's enough to turn a man's hair grey! You've told me your plan, and I believe we can carry it out—devil though Thorne is. But where's your surgeon? I know of none we could trust; but, you, as a society woman——"

"Certainly! I have the very man in view," said Myra. "He has just completed two years' hard labor, is extremely skilled, and can be bought body and soul for fifty pounds. We will offer him good pay, for we shall have more than one use for him." She laughed evilly. "Kenneth Thorne's wedding day shall be the strangest that ever mortal man spent yet!"

Lightfoot gave a shudder, and his hand trembled slightly as he gathered up the photographs. Then, with a brief farewell to Myra, he hurried out of the house.

(To Be Continued)

By the Way—

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New Fibre Produced From Malay Plant

A NEW fibre known as arghan is produced from a plant which was originally discovered growing wild in the Malay States. The yarn and cloth produced from this fibre take dye permanently. It promises to be so important as a textile material that the government of the Malay States has set aside 30,000 acres for its cultivation. Plantations are also being promoted in India, Ceylon and Borneo.

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Saanich Reeveship

Sir,—May I take this opportunity of thanking the citizens of Saanich for their generous support of my candidature on Saturday last?

With a decided majority in four of the seven wards and a combined majority from the municipality as a whole, I am naturally pleased—in fact, encouraged.

ERIC G. KINGWELL.

Saanich, B.C., Jan. 15, 1923.

The Greater Victoria Water Act

Sir,—I have read every word of Mr. Todd's last letter, but it is hardly necessary for everyone to do so. He tells us plainly that he and others, a majority of the City Council, are perfectly willing to hand over our three-million-dollar water supply to a Greater Victoria Water Board which will have full power to allot and charge for that water and to collect payment for all expenses connected with distribution. At the same time he and the other councillors are content to be given four votes as against eight votes allotted to the outside municipalities interested in allotting the water and collecting payment for it.

Surely this should be enough to induce the residents and taxpayers of Victoria to turn down the scheme. Surely the most simple arrangement would be for the outside municipalities to purchase our surplus water at our pipe line and make their own arrangements for distribution and collection. If they reject this plan, obviously they have in view a more profitable plan, one that will cost them less money, and the only victim in sight is the city of Victoria, representing the taxpayers and residents of that town.

There is not the least necessity for the taxpayers of Victoria to become involved in any of the expenses connected with any plan provided for furnishing more water to the outside municipalities, excepting the agreeable task of selling the water. If any work had to be done, Victoria could do that work herself and charge accordingly, or could just sell the water now available. For twelve years taxpayers have been overwhelmed with glowing and specious reasons for spending money they had not got, and we do not want to hear any more of those reasons for the next twelve years. Residents are as much interested in making sure of an ample water supply; they should turn out in force and make sure of defeating this scheme. There is no reason, of course, to think for a moment that other municipalities would willingly deplete our water supply, but universal irrigation at night time might easily create trouble, and there is no reason why we should surrender control of the water which has cost us so much.

F. M. READE.

9 Mt. Edwards, Vancouver Street, Victoria, B.C., Jan. 17, 1923.

Industrial Development

Sir,—"No industries without sacrifice" is the title of a very convincing and truth-filled editorial which appeared in the Saturday issue of The Times. The keynote of its argument is that the extra cents sometimes necessary for the purchase of home products, above the price of the cheaper imported article, is money well invested. In that way we give practical support to local industries.

There is another way, also, that the great rank and file of our citizens might help towards establishing new enterprises in our midst. They can give encouragement and applause to unrecognized and hidden members of the community who show indications of possessing any germs of progressive thought, or who advance any theories, no matter how weird or far-fetched they may seem at first hand. We are inclined, too much, to inquire "who's the speaker?" rather than give attention to the essence of his remarks. We are impressed, I think unduly, by the family name or the position the speaker holds in Victoria, more in many cases, than his suggestions warrant.

While, on the other hand, we give little heed to some commonplace, honest citizen who strains and hesitatingly gives utterance to real valuable ideas that should be fostered.

In the National Cash Register factory at Dayton, Ohio, all employees, from the commonest laborer up, are given honest and hearty encouragement to "think." Any improvement to the cash register or its increased sale, that is developed from anybody's idea is appreciated and paid for.

Germany's greatness in producing low-priced articles is attributed to the backing given by the Government to unknown, common citizens whose ideas were worked into marketable commodities.

General Grant was picked as leader, practically from the ranks, by President Lincoln, after all the high and mighty had failed to defeat the enemy.

The unexpected, remember, is seldom found in expected places.

We are now in search of a medium or method to induce manufacturers to give us their ear. Somebody knows how. The idea is now germinating in somebody's brain. Our present leaders apparently are not possessed with it, or maybe it is shrouded under too much verbosity. What we want is a concrete, simple, but result-getting way to convince producers that geographically, materially and financially Victoria is their logical location. To achieve that object we must be open to views from all angles; from any intelligent citizen, regardless of wealth, occupation or social connections.

I am at present in correspondence with one of the most substantial firms of motion picture producers in Hollywood. They have evinced sufficient interest in my communication to request more details. They admit that Canada is about ripe for its own studios, that American pictures are losing favor in this country. They say they are interested in the great scenic wonders of British Columbia, but they want the most advantageous spot should they decide to place a studio in Western Canada.

I know that many of our citizens figured I was using motion pictures only as an effort to win votes; they gave me little or no credit for having genuine information that was worthy of investigation. But that's as it has always been in Victoria. We are too hasty in doubting one another; or is it a certain form of jealousy?

In any case, it is one of the big drawbacks to our progress we must overcome. We must get together and be more friendly, more confiding, more sympathetic and more willing to consider each other's opinions.

J. A. SHANKS.

1281 Fairfield Road, Victoria, B.C., Jan. 15, 1923.

Beacon Hill Death Traps

Sir,—In your recent editorial you did not give all the facts. The danger still exists. What really took place was that some years ago Mr. T. C. Sorby wrote to the press drawing attention to the dangerous condition of these dead fir trees and suggesting that the unemployed might be given work to do in cutting them down for firewood.

I suggested that the falling might be done in such a way that the stumps, fifteen feet in girth, could be utilized for evergreen columns by growing ivy over them, taking care to reinforce them in sufficient manner to render them safe. I saw Alderman Dewar, the then chairman of the park committee. After some months he told me that Mr. Purdy said it could not be safely done. I also made the same suggestion to the Council and other bodies. The only result was that the trees remained a menace. Last Autumn I approached the Deputy Attorney General with a view to getting the matter before the Grand Jury. The Deputy Attorney General sought the opinion of the Chief Forester, who gave the opinion you have quoted. The last Grand Jury were so soon discharged that I had no opportunity to see them.

After one of the first blows of the Winter, I saw in the park a huge branch, many pounds in weight, lying across the main drive. It did not fall on any joy riders, or I suppose the members and officials of the Council would be serving terms for manslaughter and the City paying heavy damages (I do not know the exact personal liability for the standing of the employees). While I was looking at this branch, a gentleman accompanied by a lady and young girl, came up and expressed astonishment that such a dangerous condition could exist. The gentleman also complained of the annoyance to visitors that the Chinese bell, the guns and the crumpled iron were not accompanied by an explanation of their history. I told him that these things had most interesting histories and that there was a translation of the inscription on the bell, but that the park committee were too ignorant or too indifferent to take advantage of the fact.

Sometime afterwards, I asked Alderman Leeming why he took chances in having the trees a standing menace to life and limb. He urged me write to the Council. I told him it would probably result in the danger being continued. I wrote a letter and handed it to him to bring before the Council if he thought it would do any good. The letter was addressed to the Mayor and Aldermen. Alderman Leeming tells me that he gave it to the Mayor, (Marchant) and that he does not know what became of it.

Those are the full facts so far as I remember. I think it is indeed too bad that we have not more able management of our park.

C. C. PEMBERTON.

1207 Douglas Street, Victoria, B. C., January 16, 1923.

West Coast Trade

Sir,—If you wish to know why Victoria is losing its trade up the West Coast, the following from my note book, and vouched for, may interest you.

1. Sent a scow load of lumber to Victoria from the West Coast where it had been cut by white labor. When some contractors came to buy it, they told me they could not purchase it without the consent of the leading lumber business in Victoria. In the end I had to pay $5 per thousand to that party before I could sell it.

2. Having occasion to send in a hurry in Winter with snow on the ground for hay for my cattle, I sent to a company with whom I had been dealing for twenty years and always paid my way. I happened to owe them $10, and next boat they sent me down the bill saying they would send the hay when the bill was paid. Result: Lost my best cow just about calving which I was forced to turn out to get food.

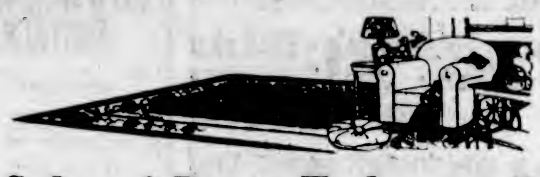
3. A friend sent a consignment of fresh fruit which arrived good and safe, but got answer it was so poor they had difficulty in selling. Going to town next boat saw the same fruit marked with name, selling at tip top prices, the best on the market. When attention was called to the fact, "Oh, there had been some mistake," but money was not refunded. It got to be known up the West Coast that any old thing would do for the poor settlers because they could not afford to send it back, before it went bad.

As one who kept a wharf I had reason to know this and saw many instances of it. I do not wonder that Vancouver went ahead, for they frequently sent agents to hunt up business, and supplied better articles for the money, and a good deal came from Eastern Canada. Victoria is reaping the result of its laxity and indifference and is not likely now to regain it.

W. E. H. ELLISON.

1131 Monroe Street, Victoria, B. C., January 14, 1923.

The visiting delegates of Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., while in Victoria sent a beautiful bouquet of flowers to Dr. Hasell, who is a patient at the Jubilee Hospital. Mrs. Hasell has long associated herself with the Order, and, as one of the visitors said in commenting on Mrs. Hasell's valuable work, "has been an inspiration to the work many, many times."



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COURT OF APPEAL

Hearing was continued yesterday of the case of Crispin vs. Evans, Coleman and Evans, reported at length in these columns yesterday morning. The appeal was from the judgment of Mr. Justice Morrison, who awarded damages in the sum of $20,606 to the Crispin company, a firm of English importers, by reason of the failure of the defendant company to supply 5,000 cases of Fraser River salmon, contracted for in 1916. The appeal of the defendants is based on the contention that they should not be made to pay for the failure of the canneries to pack the salmon in accordance with arrangements made by the defendants. Mr. C. W. Craig, K. C., is appearing for the plaintiffs-respondent; and Mr. E. P. Davis, K. C., for the defendants-appellant.

Peremptory List

The peremptory list of cases set down for hearing today is as follows: Crispin vs. Evans, Coleman and Evans (at bar); In re the Arbitration Act and T. C. Woods; and Lee Mong Kow vs. Registrar-General of Titles.

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Man Undergoing Sentence in Okalla Fails to Effect Release by Habeas Corpus Application

In Supreme Court chambers yesterday Mr. Justice Gregory refused the application of Mr. R. C. Lowe for writ of habeas corpus in the case of Frank Smith, now serving sentence of six months in Okalla Prison, on a conviction before Magistrate Jay of indecent assault.

Mr. Lowe argued that the conviction was unlawful in that the defendant was not put upon his option by the magistrate as to whether he would be tried summarily or committed to a higher court. The accused had not given consent to the summary proceeding, which, counsel contended, was necessary under the provisions of the Criminal Code.

The court gave effect to the argument of Mr. C. L. Harrison, appearing for the Crown, who said that the code provision invoked for the prisoner applied only to the Province of Ontario. Section 776 of the Coda conferred absolute jurisdiction on a police magistrate in British Columbia to try such a charge summarily without the consent of the accused.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., Jan. 17.—With no mail from the mainland since last Friday and only half the tracks clear for traffic, Prince Edward Island is still suffering the effects of the terrific blizzard that swept down suddenly Friday night.

Empire's Safety Lies in Its Control of Near East

Lieut.-Col. F. A. Robertson, D. S. O., Says All British Subjects Should Realize That Continued Existence of Empire Depends on Maintenance of Strategical and Commercial Communications

"All British subjects should realize that the continued existence of the British Empire depends on the maintenance of its strategical and commercial communication, and as these communications centre in the Suez Canal, the safety of the Empire lies in the continuance of British control in the Near East," declared Lieut.-Colonel F. A. Robertson, D.S.O., officer commanding the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A., in addressing members of the Victoria Post of the Canadian Legion last night.

Colonel Robertson, who is a prominent member of the Canadian Legion, has had a very distinguished military career, and during the Great War he was severely wounded while overseas doing his duty for his country. He gave a most interesting and instructive discourse to his comrades last night on the position of Turkey and the situation in the Near East, and showed by the manner in which he handled his subject that he was well acquainted with conditions in that part of the universe.

"One of the most intricate international problems with which the diplomats of Europe have had to wrestle during the last hundred years is Turkey and the Near East. During the last century many wars, great and small, have been fought, resulting in the signing of numerous treaties prescribing, limiting and modifying spheres of influence of different states in Turkey and the Balkans," said Colonel Robertson.

The Lausanne Conference

"And now there is being held at Lausanne another great conference of nations to arrange the latest settlement of interests in that country. We are now awaiting with interest and anxiety the outcome of the present deliberations at Lausanne, but from the meagre reports we are able to read in the newspapers only one thing as yet seems certain, that is, no settlement will please everybody. Whatever settlement may be arrived at will only be a compromise and will consequently remain in force only until such time as some nation feels itself strong enough to again disturb the status quo.

"The chief reason why so many conflicting interests are centred in that area is because Turkey holds a strategical geographical position. A study of a map of the Mediterranean will reveal three key positions of great importance, namely, the Straits of Gibraltar, the Suez Canal and the Dardanelles. Although the Straits of Dardanelles are in Turkish territory it must be remembered that any nation in alliance with Turkey would share, more or less, in the advantages of this strategical position."

The speaker detailed fully the history of Turkey from the time of Christ up to the present day, outlining the historical events affecting the Turkish Empire during the Mohammedan rule in Asia Minor, the arrival of Turks in Europe, the rise of Russian power, the Crimean War, the Russo-Turkish War and the first and second Balkan Wars.

Since the Great War

Colonel Robertson, continuing, pointed out that the Great War compelled a reversal of British policy in the Near East. Ever since the time of Catherine the Great of Russia Great Britain was the most consistent of European powers in maintaining the integrity of Turkey, and therefore one would naturally think that Turkey would have sided with Great Britain. The reason this was not the case was due to the ambitions and foreign policy of Germany. Ever since the Franco-Prussian War Germany had planned to extend her control from the Baltic Sea to the Indian Ocean. As part of this scheme steps were taken to build a great railway from Berlin to Baghdad. In order to realize this dream of a great corridor of states under German control it was necessary to include Turkey in this great Germanic alliance. Prior to the Balkan Wars in 1912 and 1913 Germany had assisted Turkey to reorganize her army and had given her the services of many German officers. The Kaiser had carefully and constantly cultivated the friendship of the Turks and adopted an attitude of extreme goodwill towards Islam generally. German diplomacy proved successful and before the outbreak of the Great War there even existed between Germany and Turkey a secret treaty of alliance.

The conclusion of the Great War found the Turkish Empire at its lowest ebb. The former provinces of Mesopotamia, Palestine and Syria had been captured by the British and the sacred places in Mecca were in the hands of the Arabs. By the terms of the Treaty of Sevres the Turkish Empire was reduced in territory from over 600,000 to less than 200,000 square miles, and in population from twenty millions to eight millions. These terms were so drastic that it caused a rally of despair on the part of the Turkish Nationalist Party, which rally was only stiffened when the Greeks, who had been given a five-year mandate over Smyrna, undertook to overthrow this Nationalist movement.

Defeat of Greek Armies

The total defeat of the Greek armies by the Turkish Nationalists under Kemal Pasha was completed but a few weeks ago by the capture and destruction of Smyrna. The Turks were anxious to follow up their successes by carrying the war into Thrace, but the other European powers, led by Great Britain, intervened, and now we have the great conference at Lausanne endeavoring to draft a treaty which will keep peace for a time.

"I wish to sum up briefly what Great Britain has at stake in the Near East at the present time. In the first place it should be realized that the British Empire has been made great, and will only continue to hold her dominant position in the world, by her vast commercial undertakings, one of her most important fields being India. Her control in India can only be maintained if her communications are safe. The direct route between England and India is through the Mediterranean and the Suez Canal. An antagonistic power occupying Asia Minor would be a menace to this trade route. Consequently we may expect Great Britain to make a determined stand at Lausanne for the freedom of the Dardanelles and the prohibition of any permanent fortresses on the shores of these waters. If this channel is left unfortified Great Britain with her navy can be trusted to have her fleet in these waters in case of war, by the time opposing batteries could be brought into action.

Says Alliance Only Temporary

At the present time there seems to be a rapprochement between Russia and Turkey, but this unnatural alliance can only be temporary. When the Russian delegate at Lausanne only a few days ago made a demand that Turkey be given complete control of the Dardanelles, with rights to fortify them, he had in his mind the old Czarist policy of Russia when Turkey was persuaded to sign the Treaty of Unkiar-Skelessi in 1833. Such an arrangement would of course in due time allow Russia to have control of the Black Sea and the Straits to the Mediterranean, and the Turkish ruler of Constantinople would be the hall porter of Russia.

"At the present time Russia and Turkey are united in their desire to embarrass the Allies, but the ultimate aims of these two countries are very different. Turkey under the Angora Government has ambitions to revive the ancient power of Turkey and to bring together in closer union all the Mohammedan countries. The danger to Great Britain of course is that she holds extensive interests and control in India, Persia, Afghanistan and Egypt, and does not wish to have any uprisings amongst her Mohammedan subjects.

Russia, on her part, is anxious to spread the doctrines of communism throughout the world. Her greatest obstacle in this task is the stability of the British Empire. The weak link in the chain of Empire is the Near and Middle East, and Russia would gladly aid Turkey or any other nation in weakening the power of Great Britain," said the speaker.

DR. PAGE RE-ELECTED

MELBOURNE, Jan. 16.—A meeting of the Federal Country Party today re-elected Dr. Earl E. Page as leader. The meeting adopted a resolution declaring that the result of the recent Federal election was tantamount to a vote of censure of the Hughes' Government.

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SUCCESSION DUTIES INVOLVED IN CASE

Applicants Asks Court to Say That Province May Not Tax Saskatchewan Agreements of Sale

A petition was presented to Mr. Justice Gregory, sitting in Chambers yesterday, by the executors of the late Samuel Alexander Greer, asking for a declaration that the estate was liable for succession duties in respect of agreements of sale with regard to lands situate in Saskatchewan. Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., appeared for the applicant; Mr. J. W. Dixle represented the Crown.

Mr. Maclean contended that the questions raised by the petitioner were important, inasmuch as they involved the right of the Province to impose succession duty in respect of property or the liability of persons situate outside the Province. The Succession Duty Act in this respect was ultra vires of the Province, said Mr. Maclean, and the liability under the agreements of sale being in the nature of a specialty debt, it could only be enforced in the place where the specialty lay. As, in this case, the specialty lay in Moose Jaw, the Province had no right to impose taxation for succession duty.

Mr. Maclean further took the point that the Minister of Finance was bound to assess the duty on the valuation fixed in the affidavit leading to probate, and that, in the event of his not being satisfied with that valuation, he had no option but to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to appoint a commissioner to inquire into and report what property of the deceased was subject to duty under the Act and what was the value thereof.

With regard to the first point, Mr. Dixle referred to the case of re Walker Estate, where succession duties were claimed in respect of promissory notes and agreements of sale of land, all of which were made without the jurisdiction and created obligations payable without the jurisdiction, none of which documents had been brought within the jurisdiction, where Chief Justice Hunter held that the maxim mobilia sequuntur personam applied, and, therefore, such agreements of sale were taxable within this Province in respect of the estate of a person dying domiciled in this Province.

With regard to the second point, Mr. Dixle said that the Minister of Finance was entitled to place any proper assessment upon the property contained in the affidavit in respect of the valuation fixed by the executors, and that it was optional with the Minister as to whether he would put in force the provisions of the section enabling him to apply for the appointment of a commissioner, and contended further that as the executors had included the agreements of sale in the affidavit as being assets within the jurisdiction, they were estopped now from raising the point that they were not liable to taxation within the Province.

Mr. Justice Gregory reserved his decision.

OBITUARIES

McIVER—The funeral took place yesterday, at 3:40 o'clock, at the Sands Funeral Chapel, of Talmon Brock McIver, who passed away at his father's residence, 1212 Finlayson Avenue. The services were largely attended by relatives and friends, and the numerous floral tributes betokened the popularity of the deceased young man. The service was conducted by Lieut.-Col. H. J. De Salis. The pallbearers were: Messrs. J. Baron, R. H. Lott, J. P. Taylor, C. Wheeler, J. J. Dewar and S. J. Schroeder. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

YOUNG—The funeral of the late Thomas Young, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital last Sunday, took place yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, the Rev. N. E. Smith officiating. The hymns sung were "Abide With Me" and "Lead, Kindly Light." The service was largely attended by relatives and friends and the floral tokens were numerous and beautiful. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. R. Margison, M. B. Wellburn, G. D. McLean, A. Manson, W. H. F. Richdale and C. Brown. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

McBRIDE — There passed away Tuesday evening, at the home of her nephew, Mr. Charles Northam, of 2644 Rose Street, Mary McBride, aged 95 years, born in Scotland and a resident of this city for the past fifteen years. The deceased is survived by, besides her nephew, of this city, two brothers, one at Port Perry, Sask., and one at Colville, Sask.; also one sister in Iona, Ont. The funeral will take place tomorrow, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Dr. Clem Davies, assisted by Rev. W. G. Wilson, will officiate. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

YOUSON—The funeral of the late James Youson, who passed away at the residence of his son, Mr. John Youson, of 747 Esquimalt Road, will take place this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The Rev. J. S. Patterson will officiate and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

SEYMOUR—The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Isabella Seymour, who passed away at the family residence, 1027 Fort Street, last Monday, took place yesterday morning, the cortege leaving the above residence at 10:45 o'clock, and fifteen minutes later service was conducted at Christ Church Cathedral by Dean C. S. Quainton. Relatives and many friends were present, and the floral tributes were many and beautiful, testifying to the high esteem in which the deceased lady was held. The hymns sung were "A Few More Years Shall Roll" and "On the Resurrection Morn." The pallbearers were: Messrs. J. T. Daville, K. S. Patrick, J. Baites, and W. H., L. C. and A. D. Seymour, the three last named being sons of the deceased. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MURDOCH—The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Wharrie Murdoch will be held this afternoon at the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Co., at 3:30 o'clock. The remains will be interred at Ross Bay Cemetery.

FINDLER—The remains of the late Mrs. Elisabeth Findler were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in Ross Bay Cemetery. Service was conducted at the B. C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. F. A. F. Chadwick. There was a large attendance of friends and relatives and many floral offerings covered the casket. The hymns sung were "Peace, Perfect Peace" and "Abide With Me." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. C. McAllister, E. Wilkinson, R. Orsborne, A. Rumsby, W. R. Woods and A. Hunt.

McALLISTER—Service for the late Mrs. Emily McAllister will be held this afternoon at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, at 2 o'clock, Rev. S. Cook officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

DRUG HABIT BRINGS WAR VETERAN DOWN

One-Time Practising Physician Tells Grim Story in Court—Jail Sentence Is Only Cure

Twelve months' imprisonment was the sentence meted out by Magistrate Jay yesterday to Dr. Henry Gordon Douse, who pleaded guilty to the charge of breaking into the medical office in the Jones Building of Dr. Moore and stealing drugs.

"I am sorry that there is no other institution than prison to which I can send you," said the magistrate, "but that is the case; and for your own sake I think you should go there for a period long enough to afford you a chance to overcome this habit."

"I can only say that I have been taking drugs ever since the war," said the defendant. "I have been sick for the last year. My need is very great. I have never committed a theft before. I was crazed when I did this. I was a physician in Ontario before the war. I served at the front."

Detective Sergeant O'Leary said that several doctors' offices in the Jones Building had been entered and drugs taken. The accused had been seen to enter Dr. Moore's office at three o'clock last Tuesday morning by Detective Calwell. Some drugs were taken. The defendant had used a master key. The accused was a drug addict. He had been treated in hospital here for tuberculosis.

Magistrate Jay observed that it was one of those distressing cases which emphasized the need he had so often voiced for some public institution where drug addicts could be properly treated. He was sorry for the accused man; but he had to enforce the law, and he would impose a sentence which might give the accused a chance of cure.

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as the police decided it was better to allow him to tell his own story in court rather than seek to question him before he has been arraigned.

Provincial Police Constables Robert Owens and Irving on Tuesday morning, immediately the report of Monday night's happenings reached the Provincial Police office, proceeded to investigate the case. It was not long before they had a good idea of the guilty party, and a warrant for his arrest was issued. They visited the Lay home on Douglas Street and advised Lay's parents that should he turn up he should be advised to surrender himself.

Whether Lay returned to his home and adopted the advice given by the police officers is not known, but the fact is he voluntarily walked into the police station here and gave himself up.

According to Lay's statement, as reported by the police, he admitted that within the past week or ten days he had purloined five motor cars in the city and ridden into the country. It was he who stole the car of Mr. Angus McKeown from in front of the Royal Victoria Theatre; another belonging to Capt. Aitken, from Linden Avenue; a third owned by Mr. Scarrett, taken from 816 Cook Street, and a fourth, the property of Messrs. Lysle & Sons, from the corner of View and Vancouver Streets. The fifth car he could not remember. Keys for all these stolen cars were found in his possession when he was searched at police headquarters last night.

Lay, it appears, had formerly worked in the Sooke district at the ranch of Mr. Wier, and was acquainted with residents of that district.

Mrs. Wareham is recovering from the effect of the vicious attack made upon her. She suffered a severe nervous shock, but is rapidly recovering. When she was assaulted her assailant knocked two teeth from her lower jaw when he attempted to gag her, and he threatened to shoot her should she make any outcry.

FENIAN RAID VETERAN DEAD

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Jan. 17.—Mr. George Smith, Fenian Raid veteran, died at his home near here early today at the age of 76 years. He was born in Coburg, Ont., and had been a resident of this district upward of 40 years.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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City & District

Whist Drive—The Cedar Hill Tennis Club social section will hold a whist drive this evening, January 25 being set for the progressive five hundred party.

Amputations' Association—The regular bi-monthly business meeting of the Amputations' Association of the Great War will be held at the club-rooms in the Belmont Building on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Visiting Fashion Centres — Mrs. Angus Campbell left yesterday for the Eastern markets in the interest of her firm, and will visit the leading American centres of fashion ere she returns.

Charged With Assault — Sooan Singh was charged before Magistrate Jay yesterday with causing actual bodily harm to Gordit Singh by assault. Mr. Robert Harvey appeared for the defence, and obtained a remand until next Friday. Bail was set in the sum of $100.

Good Cheer Club—The regular monthly meeting of the Good Cheer Club, of Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1, I.O.O.F., will be held in the hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend, as this is the first meeting of the year and plans for the year's work will be formulated.

Flower and Seed Growing—The regular monthly meeting of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute will be held at the Temperance Hall, Keating, this (Thursday) evening, at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. George Robinson will give a talk on flower and seed growing. There will be a discussion on the rate assessment.

Esquimalt Council — The initial meeting of the 1923 Esquimalt Council will take place tonight, at 8 o'clock, in the Municipal Hall. The new Council is composed of Alexander Lockley, reeve, and Messrs. Albert Heald, Robert A. Anderson, James Nicol, James F. Mesher, Robert W. Dent and George Bridle, councillors.

Craigflower At Home—The teachers of Craigflower School will be At Home to the parents of the children attending the school and members of the Parent-Teachers' Association, at the school on Friday next, at 7:45 p.m. All parents and members are asked to take this opportunity to get acquainted with the teachers.

Public Whist Drive — Queen Alexandra Review No. 11, W.B.A., will hold its second bi-monthly meeting on Thursday at the K. of P. Hall at 7:30 o'clock. This is to be followed by a public whist drive to commence at 8:45 promptly. A chicken is to be given for a tombola prize, and a $5 scrip for the highest score, besides other good prizes.

W. A. Annual Meeting—Falling in line with all other parochial and diocesan organizations the Columbia Diocesan Women's Auxiliary is closing its books on December 31 each year, and in consequence of this is holding its annual meeting this month instead of in May, as hitherto. The date of the annual meeting is, therefore, January 25 and 26, the sessions to take place at Christ Church schoolroom.

Oak Bay Friendly Help—The Oak Bay Friendly Help held its annual meeting Monday at Municipal Hall. Thirty families were helped in the month of December. The society wishes to thank the St. Mary's Cub Pack and Miss Hilliard, their leader, for their work in providing Christmas trees; also those who sent hampers, and the children of Monterey School for groceries, toys and clothing; also Miss Cowley for fruit.

Victoria W. I.—The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held in the institute rooms, Surrey Block, Yates Street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The principal business will be the appointment of the standing committees for the coming year. The directors' annual report, also the treasurer's report, which were postponed from last meeting, will be given.

Soldiers' Meeting—A mass meeting of returned soldiers of the city will be held tonight, at 8 o'clock, in the rooms of the Canadian Legion, 1406 Douglas Street. The business under discussion will be matters that will be presented to the Royal Commission which is investigating ex-service men's problems and which will shortly visit the Coast. All veterans, whether affiliated with any local soldiers' club or not, are asked to attend.

Concert at High School—Under the auspices of the Victoria High School Parent-Teacher Association, Mr. F. Waddington's choir from Esquimalt School will give a number of chorals at the concert which is to be held at the high school on Saturday evening next. Mr. Drury Price will assist with some violin selections and Mr. Ira Dilworth, pianist, will play two classical compositions, in addition to acting as accompanist for the other numbers on the programme.

Browning's "Balcony"—Mrs. Goddard delivered a charming and interesting address on Tuesday evening to some of the senior students of the B.C. Dramatic School. She dealt with Browning's "Balcony" scene, contrasting the diminutive, subtle movements with the sweeping, expansive action of a more primitive scene. She explained the careful, painstaking methods of the old school of acting. Mrs. Goddard also recited some charming poems.

Concert on Friday — A concert programme has been arranged by Mrs. A. H. Gaiger for the Boys' Naval Brigade, to take place in the small Foresters' Hall, Broad Street, at 8 o'clock on Friday evening. The following artists have kindly promised to assist with the programme: Mrs. White, Miss Menelaws, Miss Kathleen Gaiger, Mrs. R. A. Gaiger, Mr. Dave Dumbleton, Mr. Heater, Mr. Jones, Mr. F. Merryfield, Mr. Hadley nad Mr. A. H. Gaiger. Pianist, Miss Hadley.

Cuticura Soap Complexions Are Healthy

Gets Jail Term—In the police court yesterday, Robert Irving was sentenced to serve three months in prison for stealing a one-cylinder Cadillac engine, the property of George Cessford. The defendant admitted his guilt. Detective Marcus Phippa informed the magistrate that the engine had been stolen from the old shipyard site, where the complainant used it for cutting wood. The accused had paid two boys $1 each to cart the engine away; and had afterwards sold it for $7.50 to a second-hand dealer. Irving said he had nothing to say as to why he should not be sentenced.

Ward Two Conservatives — The Liberal-Conservative Association of Ward Two will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight in the club rooms, top floor, Campbell Building, at 8 o'clock. All Conservatives will be made welcome. Amongst other business will be the receiving of reports and appointing a new social committee, as it is the intention of Ward Two to hold a series of entertainments, dances and card parties during the next few months. For the past week a number of workmen have been kept busy pulling down partitions and remodeling the club rooms. A good attendance is expected tonight.

Joint Installation—Mr. John A. McIvor, Reeve of Port Hammond, B.C., and Grand Master Workman of the A.O.U.W. of British Columbia, will officiate at a joint installation of two of the Victoria lodges' officers, Victoria No. 1, and Vancouver No. 5, Friday evening, January 19. The ceremony will take place at the Knights of Pythias Hall, and it is expected the supreme lodge representative, past master workman, grand guide, grand secretary, grand treasurer, and other Grand Lodge officers will be present and assist the grand master in his duties. A large turnout of the local members of the order is anticipated. Refreshments will be served at the close.

FEDERAL MINISTER OF RAILWAYS DEAD

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member for North Essex in the General Election of December, 1921, when the Liberal party triumphed at the polls and Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King became Prime Minister.

Mr. Kennedy was taken into the King cabinet upon its organization, December, 1921, as Minister of Railways and Canals. This important office he filled with zeal and capability, but an unfortunate illness, involving serious operations, interfered with his carrying on the duties of his office at a critical period in the reorganization of the Canadian National Railways.

Public Spirited

Hon. Mr. Kennedy's capacity for work and his natural bent for public service were shown long before he ran for Parliament. He was president of the Windsor Board of Trade for 1909-10. He was a member of the Windsor Board of Education from 1913 to 1918, and in the same years he was a councillor of the town of Ojibway, Essex County.

Born in Ottawa on August 27, 1868, Mr. Kennedy was the son of William and Julia (Costello) Kennedy. He was educated in the separate schools of Toronto and in the De La Salle Institute, Toronto.

He began his business career with the London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company, Toronto, in 1887, and continued with this firm until 1897. Then he engaged in the gas and oil business at Windsor, Ont. He was president of the Windsor Gas Company, Limited, from 1903 to 1917.

Supported Athletics

Mr. Kennedy married Glencora Bolton, daughter of George W. Bolton, of Detroit, Michigan, on May 8, 1907. He was a member of the Detroit Club and the Athletic Club, Detroit; Essex County Golf Club, Windsor; Ontario Club, Toronto; and the Rideau Club and Country Club, Ottawa. He was a Roman Catholic.

The death of Mr. Kennedy is doubly unfortunate. Highly popular and of uncontested ability, Mr. Kennedy had a widening circle of friends in all political parties, and the achievements of a comparatively brief political career were full of promise. And his death, furthermore, could hardly have come at a more unfortunate time in the checkered history of the Canadian National Lines.

Devoted to Duties

In his first and only railway budget speech to the House he intimated the Government's intention to proceed with co-ordination of all the Government lines with the Grand Trunk and the creation of a unified board of directors to govern the whole co-ordinated system instead of having two separate boards and two different managements. Since the termination of session, and until the time he went to Montreal for an operation, Mr. Kennedy had devoted practically his whole attention to the work.

During the illness of Mr. Kennedy, Hon. G. P. Graham has been acting Minister of Railways, and the work, so far as was possible, had been continued. None the less, Mr. Kennedy's successor will take over the reins at a time of undoubted difficulty, when many serious problems remain to be solved.

Strain of Office

There is little doubt that Mr. Kennedy's illness was aggravated by the strain of the office in the last few months. On many occasions he had been urged to undergo an operation without delay. But his reply always was that he would try to wait until the new railway board was appointed. The malady, however, had already made too great a progress, and one operation, followed by a second and more serious operation, failed to save his life.

PRINCE'S PURSE LOW

PARIS, Jan. 16.—Prince Anterne of Bourbon-Orleans, has fallen out with some of his creditors, thirteen of whom appeared in the Hall of Justice today seeking an order to have the Prince's silverware and furniture sold at auction to pay his debts. The judge, however, decided that the claims were not sufficiently large to justify such action.

SAYS COUE MERELY EXPLOITED TRUTH

VICTORIANS OFFER THEMSELVES TO BE HEALED

Professor Jules Armand Tells Vast Crowd How Force of Mind May Triumph Over Body

More than 500 people who jammed their way into the big auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce last night were told by Prof. Jules Armand, of Paris, that the theories of the suddenly famous Dr. Emile Coue are not a mystery at all, but the simplest thing in the world.

Although Prof. Armand asserted emphatically that Dr. Coue was not the originator of suggestion or auto-suggestion as means of healing, he did give his fellow countryman full credit for coining the "Day by day, in every way" phrase, which he declared showed the mark of genius.

At the close of his lecture, which was given under the auspices of the Capadian Extension University of Vancouver, Prof. Armand gave a demonstration of the Coue method, and more than a score of men and women suffering from a variety of ailments mounted the platform to be treated.

Mr. Henry Hearns was the first "patient." He is an elderly man. He said he had suffered for years from stomach trouble, although autosuggestion had cured him of a disease when he had been forsaken by medical men.

"Close your eyes," ordered Prof. Armand, placing his left hand at the base of Mr. Hearns' skull and his right hand on the forehead. "You say you have a pain," he went on. "Well, it is going away—it is going away," he repeated three or four times. "There has been a marvellous improvement."

Then he snapped his fingers and Mr. Hearns opened his eyes and stood up smiling.

"I feel much easier," said Mr. Hearns, and then the next case was called for—a woman who had suffered for more than a year with a pain at the back of her head.

Pain Vanishes

Prof. Armand proceeded in much the same way, and when the woman was told to stand up she announced that she no longer felt the pain. Half a dozen other patients were so dealt with, with varying results.

"I cannot attempt to cure anyone in five minutes," said Prof. Armand. "This merely indicates what can be done." And he told about his classes to be held on Friday and Saturday, for which a fee of ten dollars will be charged. Many applicants for these classes signed the necessary forms last night.

Prof. Armand is of medium build, appearing much younger than his age would indicate, and retaining much of the vigor and energy characteristic of his race. He speaks easily and with an effective selection of words, even though he claims to be more familiar with his native tongue, and his voice, though high pitched and almost rasping at times when the course of his lecture brought him to a sudden fervor, penetrated to every corner of the hall.

"What Dr. Coue is doing was done forty years ago, and it has been common property ever since," declared Prof. Armand. "He is neither the originator of the theory nor the discoverer of the sub-conscious mind. The mind controls all sensations, and that fact is the basis of our teaching.

How to Get Well

"If you don't feel well, sit by the fireside by yourself and concentrate. Relax. Say to yourself that you are getting better and better, steadily better, and what will you find? You will find that you do get better, because you have centred your mind on improvement. Exactly the opposite effect is attained by the woman who goes to the mirror and exclaims, 'I am getting old; another wrinkle!' I knew a woman who lived on the Isle of Jersey who never grew old, and I asked her the secret of her perpetual youth. 'I never think of getting old,' she replied. 'I never will grow old. I never mix with old people. I act and think as a young person should, and I am young. It is very simple.'"

The control of the sub-conscious mind, said Prof. Armand, was almost unbelievable.

Prof. Armand said that the theory first gained root after the Franco-Prussian war, when three distinguished scientists established a clinic at Nancy to treat the thousands of persons affected by shattered nerves.

Played Prank on Death

"Let me tell you about a young man who was about to die," he said. "The doctors had given him up, saying there was no hope, and they so informed the nurse. The nurse had heard of the wonders accomplished at the Nancy clinic, and when she went to the patient she assumed a radiant cheerfulness. 'You will live. You will recover,' she told the young man. 'The doctors say you will not die.' The patient, who had been described as hopeless, brightened, and while he lay there in his bed the nurse repeated 'You are getting better.' She repeated it while he slept, and on the morrow the doctors were astonished. They admitted then there was hope. The young man recovered and lived to be strong again. I know, because he is addressing you tonight."

He instanced the case of Sarah Bernhardt as an instance of force of mind keeping the soul in the body, averting impending death.

"The doctors say that Sarah Bernhardt should have died weeks ago, but she is living because she says she is not going to die," declared the professor. "She wishes to live to die on the stage."

Prof. Armand said there was no use in anyone trying to obtain relief by simply mumbling "Day by day, in every way, I am getting better and better."

"It must be said twenty times at least" he explained. "Say it out loud to yourself when you are ready for sleep, because it is in that condition that the subsconscious mind functions best. Dr. Coue has invented a very simple and remarkable device so that people may repeat the sentence twenty times without disturbing their minds by counting. It consists of a string knotted twenty times. As you repeat the sentence, pass the string between your fingers.

He said that Lady Beatty had first brought public attention to Dr. Coue when she was cured by him at Nancy soon after the war. She was afflicted with long spells of sobbing and hysteria that medical science could not stop. The report of her progress at Nancy was as follows: First day, sobbed bitterly; second day, sobbed a little; third day, cried, but did not sob; fourth day, cried part of the time; fifth day, did not cry at all; sixth day, smiled; seventh day, broad grin. And after that she was cured, leaving the clinic a joyful, laughing woman.

Prof. Armand held that his theory did not in any way clash with Christian Science or New Thought, and that it recognized the need for immediate surgical attention, but it was his belief that auto-suggestion would help to cure every illness.

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COWPER SENT UP ON THEFT CHARGE

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assisted the municipal prosecutor, Mr. E. L. Tait, by giving him all the information necessary to make a prima facie case.

That such will be the probable attitude of the defence is implied in the statement of Mr. Clearihue, made to The Colonist yesterday, that his client had made restitution to the value of $9,735. Mr. Clearihue said that Mr. Cowper had turned over to the municipality real estate, including his residence and certain lots, to that value.

The amended charge as laid yesterday alleged that the accused, "between February 27, 1914, and January 10, 1923, being employed in the service of the Municipality of Saanich, at Royal Oak, in the County of Victoria, did unlawfully steal the sum of $10,919.46 from the moneys in his possession by virtue of his employment, contrary to the Criminal Code."

Mr. Frederick Bolston, of the firm of Ismay, Bolston & Company, chartered accountants and auditors to the municipality, was the sole witness for the prosecution. He said that Mr. Cowper was clerk, treasurer and controller of the municipality, in charge of its funds and in control of its books.

Defendant's Confession

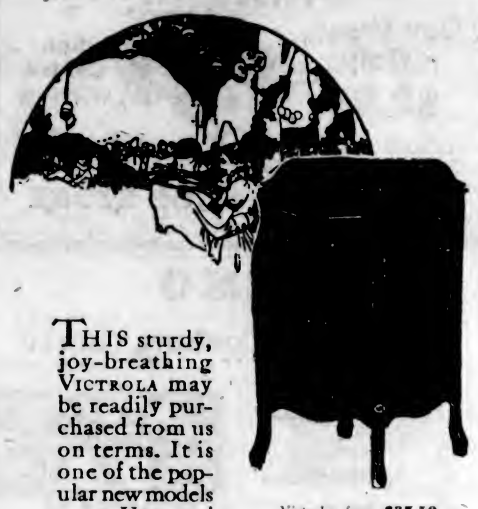
In consequence of the situation that had arisen through the discoveries of shortages in the funds, the auditors called a meeting between Reeve Watson, Clerk Cowper and themselves, in their Langley Street office, on January 11 last. Mr Bolston said that the meeting was arranged so that the facts as far as they were then known might be laid before Reeve Watson.

"Cowper confessed that he was short in his cash in two amounts of $5,000 and $6,000," Mr. Bolston swore. "I have since examined the condition of the funds. The net result is that I have found a total shortage of $10,919.46. This money was stolen between the dates specified in the charge."

"That is the case for the prosecution," said Mr. Tait.

"I have no questions," said Mr. Clearihue.

The defendant stood up to hear the formal warning from the bench that anything he said would be used against him, and signified with a shake of the head that he had nothing to say. He was formally committed for trial, and left the court room in custody of Chief of Police Brogan.



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	Min.	Max.
Victoria	39	43
Vancouver	34	40
Kamloops	26	38
Barkerville	20	22
Prince Rupert	26	36
Atlin	23b	10b
Dawson, Y.T.	23b	18b
Calgary, Alta.	26	40
Winnipeg, Man.	14	42
Portland, Ore.	44	56
San Francisco, Cal.	52	58
Seattle, Wash.	42	48
Penticton	24	42
Grand Forks	36	50
Nelson	28	42
Cranbrook	22	38
Edmonton, Alta.	4b	14
Prince Albert, Sask.	8	14

WEDNESDAY

Maximum	42
Minimum	38
Average	40
Minimum on the grass	36

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FOX NEWS

INITIATES STUDENTS' CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT

Dean Quainton Spoke Before Victoria College Yesterday and Results Follow

In an address to the students of the Victoria College yesterday morning Dean C. S. Quainton brought before his audience some facts concerning the development of the Students' Christian Movement, which is now practically a world-wide work, in relation to the College. Dean Quainton went into the principles of the movement, and spoke of its existence in 217 colleges and universities in Great Britain.

"There are at the present time 189,000 students of the world who are members of this vast movement," said the speaker, "and there is a branch in every university in Canada. Several years ago the movement was heard and felt in the University of British Columbia, and delegates went to Chicago to attend a conference along the lines of this campaign of upliftment and education. Since that time the Mainland University has had its branch of the Students' Christian Movement body and has entered upon the work with a whole-heartedness that shows their appreciation of the idea.

"A great number of people believe the young men and women of today are worse than they were in the last generation. I do not believe the young nation is any worse than that preceding it," stated the Dean. He pointed out that the movement was not what might be called religious, but it was merely something that might make young people think and help them in their thoughts and expressions. "It is a good thing," the speaker continued, "for them to get together and open their hearts to one another, get the 'other fellow's' viewpoint and a wider insight into human nature and the great workings of the mind.

"A short time ago a very learned professor dug up a record of the thoughts of some ancient man of Babylon, written on a slab of clay in the old cuniform writing of almost prehistoric times. The translation in part reads thus: '. . . times are very evil, The young people of today are not as good as they used to be.' In this lies a sentiment of many people of today." This idea the Dean scoffed at. "The rising generation is not over-shallow and frivolous as a general rule," he said.

"I would not have this movement encroach upon your studies," the speaker continued, "but I ask you this question: What is it to be a Christian in the twentieth century?" He spoke of the lines along which they, the students, might conduct this movement amongst themselves. Prayer and a study of the Bible would be the most important parts of the task. The organization should be a self-governed body and should not meet too often, he concluded.

To show the impression the Dean made upon them, the students immediately set to work to organize. Before the speaker left the building the students had chosen a committee to represent themselves, and to further the movement in the College. In the afternoon this committee met and the business was discussed with true zeal. So far matters have progressed very favorably, more so, indeed, than might have been expected in so short a time. The committee appointed was Misses Jackson, Mell and Henderson, and Messrs. Edwardson and Vincent.

ONE OF BAND OF BANK ROBBERS IS CAPTURED

PAWHUSKA, Okla., Jan. 17.—An automobile in which was found approximately $3,000 in cash and bonds, identified by local police as part of the loot taken by robbers who late yesterday held up a bank at Cambridge, Kas., was discovered last night near a farmhouse, ten miles from here, where Ralph Klopten, who admitted he participated in the holdup, was captured, authorities announced today. The robbers had escaped with $20,000.

E. G. Van Hamilton, of Cambridge, who was kidnapped by the five robbers after being perhaps fatally wounded in a gun fight with them after the robbery, was left with Klopten at the farmhouse. Klopten also was wounded, although not seriously. The other robbers escaped.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Harding cancelled all of his engagements today in order to remain in bed on account of an attack of grippe. It was said at the White House that the day of rest was decided on merely as a precautionary measure and that the President's condition showed no serious developments.

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At the Playhouses

DOMINION THEATRE During the filming of his latest five-reel Pathe comedy, "Dr. Jack," now showing at the Dominion, Harold Lloyd, in the title role, was hurrying toward the "lot" with his medicine kit. At the same time, there was a small accident at an adjoining studio and one of the players was hurt. "Oh, doctor," a bearded gentleman shouted rushing up to Lloyd, "I've run out of bandage tape for this patient. Let me have some from your kit." Before Lloyd could protest, the excited doctor pulled his satchel open, and then gasped in amazement, for the comedian's kit was filled with boxes of various kinds of candy. "I'm a sunshine doctor, you see," Lloyd explained, "but you're welcome to anything I've got."

COLUMBIA THEATRE Rodolph Valentino, the celebrated young dancer who has the leading male role in "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," a Rex Ingram production for Metro, now being shown at the Columbia Theatre, found his way to fame and fortune through his nimble feet. When you see Mr. Valentino in this screen adaptation of the world famous novel of Vicente Blasco Ibanez by June Mathis and notice his finished acting, the sure swagger of the cafe scenes laid in the Argentine, the polish of his manner in interpreting the student and lover in Paris, it will be your unquestionable opinion that here is a man initiated in theatrical ways as a child. But it was neither as a dancer nor an actor that Mr. Valentino hoped to take fortune by storm. It was in the more humble sphere as a prospective agriculturist that he came to the United States, at the age of eighteen, a graduate from the Royal Military College of Agriculture at Genoa, Italy. As he planned his future he would become one of the great land owners in this country of opportunity.

CAPITOL THEATRE Wesley Barry, young and freckled and mischievous as ever—or more than ever—is now at the Capitol Theatre in his latest picture, "Heroes of the Street," a corking, peppy comedy-drama that just is the right thing for making this little screen idol romp through the scenes and make you laugh and cry with sheer happiness and pathos. It is astonishing the way Wesley has of making you forget that you are seeing a picture; he gives the illusion of real life, a thing all great actors do. He did it in "School Days" and "Rags to Riches," and he does it in this Warner Brothers production, a screen adaptation from Sam Parker's stage play that enjoyed such popularity behind the footlights that it was transformed to a screen drama.

ROYAL THEATRE The popular fallacy that moving picture stars are made "overnight" is strikingly contradicted by the history of many of the outstanding figures on the screen. Priscilla Dean, leading star, who will be seen again today at the Royal Victoria in her latest picture, "Under Two Flags," recounts many arduous years on the stage and screen before she achieved stardom. I went on the stage when I was four years old, playing a child part with Joseph Jefferson in 'Rip Van Winkle,' says Miss Dean. "My mother was a well-known emotional leading woman at the time—May Preston Dean. You will probably remember her as 'Madame X,' following Dorothy Donnelly, who created the title role. Mr. Griffith saw me dance and asked me to come down to the Biograph studio, on East Fourteenth Street, and dance in one of his pictures. That was my real start. The Mutual people game me a contract to come to California to be starred in some one-reel comedies. After six months of that, I came to Universal to appear with Eddie Lyons and Lee Moran, in their comedies, and I have been at Universal City ever since.

PLAYHOUSE PEOPLE OPEN POPULAR HOUSE WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24

It will be good news to many who witnessed the first appearance here of "The Bing Boys" to hear that that eccentric and highly entertaining pair are to revisit this city. History repeats itself and when the original Bing Boys revue was produced in London some years ago it jumped into popularity immediately and after an almost record run, so great was the public demand for more "Bing Boy" that another revue featuring the same droll characters was produced. This has been the experience of Mr. Hincks and his company at the Playhouse. The potted version of the "Bing Boys" staged in October last proved such a hit and the requests for another chance to meet the famous brothers have been so numerous that Mr. Hincks has decided to stage "The Bing Boys in Bagdad," being a further series of their adventures, this time in an Oriental setting. The plot—for there is one, albeit not such as will tire the audience by its ponderousness — is based on mistaken identity, the very mild and inoffensive Bing Boys being mistaken for birds of quite a different feather, an error which they are not slow to turn to their own advantage. Some thirty musical numbers, lots of good comedy, pretty dances and stunning costumes go to make up what gives every promise of being the most popular show yet staged at the Playhouse.

"The Bing Boys in Bagdad" opens at the Playhouse on Wednesday, January 24, and will continue until February 3. Box office opens on Monday, the 22nd, at 10 a.m., when seats may be reserved for any performance. Box office phone No. 3801.

THOMAS MEIGHAN STARS ON FILM AT CAPITOL NEXT WEEK

"Back Home and Broke," starring Thomas Meighan, a witty story by George Ade, America's foremost humorist, is the latest of Paramount features to be presented at the Capitol next week. The story is of a youth who ran away to make a fortune, and was so modest when he had made it that he preferred to come back and be regarded as a failure until he chooses to show otherwise. It is a story that moves with a snap and a sparkle, and the picture will prove one of the most wholesome and genuinely entertaining of the season.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—Wesley Barry in "Heroes of the Street."
Columbia—"The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," starring Rodolph Valentino.
Dominion—"Dr. Jack," featuring Harold Lloyd.
Royal—Priscilla Dean in "Under Two Flags."

BARBARA LA MARR
who plays Lindy Putnam, the small-town vampire, in "Quincy Adams Sawyer," the feature picture at the Dominion Theatre all next week.

DICKENS' GREATEST CLASSIC TOLD IN FILM AT ROYAL NEXT WEEK

"Ay, stop him, for God's sake, were it only in mercy!"

Thus does Charles Dickens end in "Oliver Twist" one of the most masterly bits of description ever penned—the brief, terrifying narrative of the flight of poor little Oliver, breathless, ahead of an insentiate mob shrieking "Stop Thief!"

"Stop Thief!" The victim is an innocent boy, but the hunters know nothing of that. "A victim must be found," as Gilbert says in "Mikado," and Oliver will do as well as another. The guilty wretches who committed the crime join the chase and yell "Stop Thief!" even more lustily than the others.

This is but one of the scenes of "Oliver Twist" that Director Frank Lloyd has lifted quivering from the pages of the book and placed upon the screen.

And the star of the picture—the forlorn, hunted youngster, whose terror is as profound as his innocence, is none other than little Jackie Coogan himself.

Announcement is made that Sol Lesser will present this most distinguished of stars, Jackie Coogan, in this masterpiece of classic literature, and supported by a cast inclusive of Lon Chaney, Gladys Brockwell, Lionel Belmore and a host of other screen celebrities at the Royal Victoria Theatre next week. It is a First National attraction.

CAMERAMEN HAVE NARROW ESCAPE WHEN SHOOTING NEW FILM

Filming several important scenes of "Quincy Adams Sawyer," the Metro-SL photoplay, coming to the Dominion Theatre next week, which have as their setting the Columbia River Rapids, almost cost the lives of Rudolph Bergquist, cameraman, and Charles Hunt, assistant director of this Metro-SL production. The two men were nearly dashed into the swift waters of the Columbia River on two occasions during the trip. They had traveled more than 2,000 miles through the lumber camp trails of northern Washington and Idaho and Montana in order to reach the desired location.

In Portland, Ore., they chartered a special automobile to which was attached a heavy trailer that had been used as a passenger vehicle to carry men employed in the mills into the city. On the second day they were traveling over a rough stretch of road which was exceptionally bad at this time, due to a rainfall a few days before. In making a sharp turn, the machine skidded and headed directly for a chute that was used for sending logs down into the river, a distance of three hundred yards. As fate would have it, however, one wheel of the heavy trailer caught on a tree stump, and, with the aid of a team of horses the machine was pulled back onto the road.

On another occasion they had the camera set up on a rock near the swift moving rapids when a stray log came crushing through the water a few yards up stream. They just managed to get to safety with their camera as the log came sweeping by, taking the camera cases and their hats into the river.

During the trip, which followed roads that were made by logging trucks, Mr. Bergquist and Mr. Hunt photographed thirty different waterfalls.

Clarence G. Badger was director of this production. Bernard McConville adapted Charles Felton Pidgin's story to the screen.

MRS. H. W. MITCHELL IS SAVED FROM THE SURGEON'S KNIFE

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DIOCESAN W.A. TO MEET NEXT WEEK

Nineteenth Annual Sessions to Be Held January 25 and 26 at Christ Church Schoolroom

The nineteenth annual meeting of the Columbia Diocesan Women's Auxiliary will be held Thursday and Friday, January 25 and 26, in Christ Church schoolroom. Among the speakers will be Bishop Robbins, of Athabasca; Bishop Schofield, of Columbia; Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Hartley, Mrs. Dickson (who will give an address of welcome to the visiting delegates), and Principal Vance, M.A., of the Anglican Theological College.

Following is the programme in detail:

Thursday

9:30 a.m.—Holy communion and presentation of thank-offering; sermon by Rev. Alan Greene.

10:45 a.m.—Presidents and delegates register and receive badges in cathedral schoolroom; condensed minutes of last annual meeting; roll call; address of welcome to visiting delegates, Mrs. Dickson; reply; announcements; greetings; diocesan officers' reports, recording secretary, treasurer, corresponding, literature, leaflet and E.C.A.D. secretaries; distribution of nomination papers; reports (continued): Dorcas, church embroidery, Columbia Coast mission and prayer partner secretaries; address; hymn 318.

1 p.m.—Lunch at the Precincts.

2:30 p.m. — Hymn 496; prayers, Mrs. Schofield, president's address, nominations closed, resolution: No diocesan or parochial officer shall hold office for more than three years; reports of diocesan officers (continued): Girls' and candidates' secretary, organizing secretary, junior superintendent, Little Helpers', united thankoffering, Oriental and Social service secretaries; discussion on W.A. methods, led by Mrs. Harper; discussion on W.A. work in mission parishes, led by Mrs. Hartley.

3:30 p.m.—Statement of appeals issued by Dominion Board for 1922; statement of balances to be voted on; address on social service by Mrs. Schofield; hymn 320.

8 p.m.—Group conference and social hour for officers and delegates at the Precincts.

Friday

9:30 a.m.—Hymn 307; prayer by the president; Bible reading by Mrs. Luxton; distribution of ballot papers; condensed minutes of previous day; notices of motion; general report of city and out of town branches; discussion on membership campaign; interval for balloting and collection of papers.

12 noon—Devotional address by the Dean of Columbia; hymn 652; collection; announcements; correspondence.

2:30 p.m.—Prayers by Mrs. Quainton; voting on balance of various funds; pledge for next year; result of election of officers address by Bishop Robbins, of Athabasca; unfinished business.

Concluding address, the Lord Bishop of Columbia; doxology; National Anthem.

4:45 p.m.—Reception at Bishop's Close for delegates and members.

8 p.m.—Girls' meeting in cathedral schoolroom; hymn 380; prayers by the president; roll call; minutes of last annual meeting; correspondence; reports of girls' branches; sacred song (selected), by Miss Edith Koe, of the Chinese mission; address by Rev. Principal Vance, M.A., of the Anglican Theological College; hymn 533; concluding address, the Lord Bishop of Columbia.

'FRISCO HEARD HERE

New Broadcasting Station of Hall Brothers, Inc., Sends Out Splendid Programme

The new powerful broadcasting station of the Hall Bros., Inc., of San Francisco, was officially opened on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock Pacific time. An excellent programme was given, including speeches by Mr. Hall, vice-president of the company; Mr. Porter, mayor of San Francisco; Chief of Police O'Brien, who spoke to the police chiefs of the United States and Canada, including Chief Fry, of Victoria; and a number of vocal and instrumental solos. Telegrams of congratulation on the excellence of the programme and the transmission were received in San Francisco by the Hall Bros. from all over the North American continent, including Victoria. Hall Bros.' new broadcasting station is one of the three most powerful on the Pacific Coast, being one of the Western Electric 500-watt class B stations.

TALK OVER CITY WAGES

Aldermanic Committee Will Confer With Delegates of Civic Employees

Proposed revision of wages for the city's laborers will be considered at a meeting in the City Hall this morning between the special committee of the Council composed of Aldermen Leeming, Sangster and Woodward and a delegation from the Civic Employees' Protective Association.

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Social & Personal

Government House

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Walter C. Nichol, honorary president of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., entertained the visiting delegates and officers of Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the tea hour at Government House, following the quarterly meeting held yesterday. Mrs. Nichol, who received her guests in the drawing-room, decorated with begonias and other hothouse blooms, was attired in a handsome tete-de-negre charmeuse gown with Oriental girdle and hat en suite. Mrs. Curtis Sampson and Mrs. Albert F. Griffiths presided at the tea table, prettily decorated with pink carnations. The guests included Mrs. Du Pencier, of Vancouver; Mrs. Henry Croft, Mrs. Blakemore, of Vancouver; Mrs. Belson, Mrs. Boyle, Mrs. O. L. Boynton, Mrs. Sprott, Mrs. Bayfield, Miss Millicent Wright, all of Vancouver; Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Martindale, Miss Dobson, of Nanaimo; Mrs. Andrew Wright, Mrs. H. P. Hodges, Mrs. Edgar Lee, of Vancouver; Mrs. Gow, Mrs. McAllister, of Vancouver; Miss Cook, Mrs. David Miller, Mrs. Barnacle, Mrs. Mayhew, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Boucher, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Woolley-Dod, of Alberta, and others.

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Trainmen's Dance

The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen held their second annual dance last evening, about 280 people attending the function at Alexandra ballroom. The affair was an even greater success than the first dance a year ago, and already those who have patronized the first two are looking forward with pleasurable anticipation to next year's. Ozard's Six-Piece Orchestra provided the music, and so thoroughly did everyone enter into the spirit of the dance that it was found necessary to prolong the fun an additional hour, the proceedings coming to an end at two o'clock. The programme included all the very latest things in dance music, and "spotlight" features were highly popular. The supper, which was in the hands of the Alexandra House management, met all requirements, and the capable committee in charge of the arrangements were the recipients of many congratulations, the personnel being Messrs. Menzies, Hedley, Parlby, Jackson and Campbell.

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Children's Party

Mrs. W. A. Chambers, 1018 Wilmot Place, entertained at a delightful children's party on Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being the sixth birthday of her little son, Graham. Games, both old-fashioned and modern, were played until tea time. The tea table decorations were very pretty, being carried out in pink and blue, the centre being a huge artificial cake of rose petals topped with cut-out figures from Mother Goose. Blue ribbons were attached to quaint place cards, which concealed favors for each of the little guests. The real birthday cake, with its six candles occupied a place of honor at the head of the table. The youthful visitors included Jean and Ronnie Bonnell, Dorothy and Gladys Wilboro, Charles Ranner, Betty Elliott, Marguerite Manson, Pat and Billy Sutherland, Lorna and Teddy Coton, Christine Reid, Bobby Watson and Milly Milton.

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Celebrate Anniversary

To celebrate the first anniversary of their wedding, Major and Mrs. S. H. Okell entertained a few friends at their home, 72 Dallas Road, on Tuesday evening. A delightful time was spent by all. Mrs. Percy Crow won the ladies' prize at cards, while Mr. Sidney Sherrett won the gentlemen's prize; the former being a lovely flower basket and the latter a brass shell, both products of the Red Cross Workshop. After refreshments dancing was indulged in. Those present were: Capt. and Mrs. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Copas, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Crow, Mr. and Mrs. James Sherrett, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Whittaker, Capt. and Mrs. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Kirkham, Mrs. Okell, Sr., Miss Florence Russell, Miss Mildred Russell, Mr. Sidney Sherrett and Mr. George Okell.

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Hosts at Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ker entertained at their home on Linden Avenue last night at a bridge party, when their guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Castle, Dr. and Mrs. Ridewood, Miss Eberts, Miss Irving, Miss Day, Miss Jones, Mr. Crane, Mr. R. H. B. Ker, Mr. Thackeray, Mr. Carew Martin. The previous afternoon Mrs. Ker entertained at her home at the tea hour, when she was assisted by her mother-in-law, Mrs. D. R. Ker, Mrs. C. E. Thomas and Miss Totie Day. Among the guests were Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Jack Rithet, Mrs. E. E. Blackwood, Mrs. Chaytor Payne, Mrs. Norman Payne, Mrs. J. L. Raymur, Mrs. F. D. Little, Mrs. C. F. Hill, Mrs. T. S. Gore, Mrs. B. S. Heinterman, Mrs. J. M. Ross, Mrs. Brett, Mrs. A. N. Mouat, Mrs. J. O. Wilson, Mrs. Rowley.

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I.O.D.E. Luncheon Hostesses

The visiting delegates of Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., were the guests of Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., yesterday at luncheon at the Alexandra House, following the morning session, which took place at the Jones Building. Many of the officers and members of primary chapters were also present, and the dining-room was filled to capacity. At the centre table the following members were seated: Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. Walter C. Nichol, Mrs. Du Pencier, Mrs. Griffiths, Miss Wright, Mrs. Boynton, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. Bayfield, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Croft and Mrs. Woolley-Dod, of Alberta. Grace was said by Mrs. Du Pencier, president of Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E.

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Surprise Party

A surprise party was held on Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward. The guests enjoyed dancing and games. Miss Violet Welch and Mr. Edwardson supplied excellent dance music. Miss R. Ward, Miss V. Welch and Miss M. Bourke gave a quartette, which was greatly enjoyed. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hodgins, Mr. and Mrs. Edwardson, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Proctor, Mrs. Cave, Misses E. Davidson, E. Cave, V. Welch, M. D. Bourke, M. Abbott, R. A. Ward, M. McDonald, Messrs. W. Rice, M. McDonald, H. Easler, A. Ward, H. Baker, C. Ferris.

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Women's Canadian Club

The executive of the Women's Canadian Club entertained at tea on Tuesday afternoon at the Empress palmroom, following the address given by Miss Dauphinee, of Vancouver, before the society. Additional to the guest-of-honor, Miss Dauphinee, there were present the following: Mrs. Woolley-Dod, of Calgary; Mrs. Lashley-Hall, Mrs. Drummond Hayes, Miss Cann, Miss Margaret Clay, Mrs. Bradshaw, Mrs. R. W. Perry and Mrs. J. D. Gordon and Mrs. Percy Elliott, who poured tea.

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Surprise Party

The home of Mrs. Parson, 2544 Blanshard Street, was the rendezvous of a number of visitors on Tuesday evening last, when the Oaklands Methodist Sunday School teachers paid a surprise visit to the hostess in order to present her with a birthday gift in token of appreciation of her work in the Sunday School. About thirty guests were present to share in the games and other pastimes which were organized.

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Goes on Trip

Mrs. Angus Campbell left yesterday for Eastern Canada and the United States on her annual buying trip for the well-known Government Street firm. She will be away about six weeks, intending to return by way of California in order to join Mr. and Mrs. McDermott, who are visiting there at present and who intend motoring back to British Columbia.

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Hostess at 500 Club

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Wasson entertained the members of the 500 Club at her home on Rockland Avenue. Among the players were Mrs. Prior, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. Goward, Mrs. Troup, Mrs. Bowser, Mrs. Hargreaves and Mrs. Rhodes.

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Los Angeles Visitors

Commander S. E. Barber and Mrs. Barber, of Los Angeles, accompanied by their son, arrived in Victoria yesterday. They will leave their son at the Junior House of the University School, Mount Tolmie.

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Returning to China

Miss Loy Pearson, who has been a pupil at St. Margaret's School for several years, is returning on the Empress of Australia to Yokohama, where she will rejoin her parents.

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To Visit Portland

Mrs. C. T. Cross, of Linden Avenue, is leaving today to visit her daughter, Mrs. Spalding, of Portland, Ore.

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Nanaimo Delegate

Miss Dobeson, of Nanaimo, is the guest of Mrs. V. M. Galion, of Linden Avenue, and is one of the delegates to the I.O.D.E. session.

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Visiting in City

Miss Dorothy Tremayne, of Prince Rupert, is the guest of Miss Vivien Coombe, Verrinder Avenue.

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Returns to Coast

Miss Victoria Wylde returned to Victoria on Tuesday after visiting in Eastern Canada and New York.

METCHOSIN

Pleasant Party

A very pleasant party took place Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. M. M. Brown, when the young people of the district met for an informal dance. As Miss Peggy Brown is the captain of the Metchosin Girl Guides, Guides and Boy Scouts were much in evidence.

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CHEMAINUS

Returns to Island

Miss Grace McInnes, who is teaching school on Hunter's Island, returned home last week and attended her brother Harvey's funeral, leaving last Saturday for Hunter's Island.

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Resigns Position

Dr. C. Henry Davis, who has been medical superintendent of the local hospital, has resigned his position here and will leave for California the beginning of February.

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Elect School Trustees

Messrs. N. F. Lang and R. H. Smily, of Chemainus, and Mr. Hawkins, of Crofton, were elected school trustees on Saturday for North Cowichan.

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Week-End Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Alice Dunsa spent the week-end in Ladysmith, the guests of Mr. Dunse's parents.

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Hostess at Bridge

Miss Dawson entertained at four tables of bridge at her home on St. Charles Street on Tuesday afternoon.

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Week-End Guest

Miss Britta Tranfield was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Howe.

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Returns After Absence

Mr. Albert Campbell is in the neighborhood again.

JAMES ISLAND

Turns to Farming

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gould, who have resided here for the past two years, left this week to take up their residence at Ladner, where they intend going into farming. Mr. Gould held the position of engineer on the Polar Farcite, and has been succeeded by Mr. R. Kennedy.

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Recovering

Mrs. R. H. Lyons suffered a relapse last Thursday, but has now taken a turn for the better, and will soon be out again.

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Visiting Victoria

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bond and three children have been spending several days with Mrs. J. Wallace, Joseph Street, Victoria.

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Entertained at Tea

Mrs. J. Malcolm entertained a few friends to tea last Friday afternoon.

QUALICUM BEACH

Card Social

The Saturday card social and dance held in the Farmers' Institute Hall last week, was greatly enjoyed by the sixty to seventy people who attended. The prizes for whist were won by the following ladies and gentlemen: Ladies, first, Miss H. Jarvis; ladies, consolation, Mrs. G. Mant; gentlemen, first, Mr. B. O. Mills; gentlemen, consolation, Mr. J. Dougan. After supper had been served, dancing was kept up with great gusto until midnight. Mr. C. E. Foster was master of ceremonies, the music being provided by Mr. B. O. Mills and Mr. Burgoyne. These Saturday evenings are becoming increasingly popular, and it is very gratifying to the social committee of the Farmers' Institute who are planning great things for the coming season.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Meeting Chooses Officers

At the first directors' meeting of the Islands Agricultural Asociation and Farmers' Institute, held last Monday afternoon at the Mahon Hall, Ganges, the following officers were elected from amongst the committee for 1923: President, Mr. W. E. Scott; first vice-president, Mr. Harold Price; second vice-president, Mr. E. F. Gibson; secretary, Capt. A. C. Alan-Williams; treasurer, Mr. W. M. Mouat.

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Visits Ganges

Mr. D. C. Rberts, recently of the Canadian Navy, has been on a visit to Ganges, where he was the guest during that time of Capt. and Mrs. V. C. Best. He has now taken up residence with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Harris, at whose house on Ganges Hill, he started on Monday to tutor some of the boys in the vicinity.

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Return to School

Masters Vincent and Gordon Best and Kenneth Halley left the Island last Thursday by launch on their return to Shawnigan Lake school.

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Arrives From Galiano

Mr. W. B. Moir, of Galiano, arrived last Monday at Ganges, where he was a guest for a short time of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith.

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Proceed to Thetis Island

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ley and family returned to their home on Thetis Island last Monday.

COURTENAY

Hosts at Whist Drive

Comoxians last night enjoyed themselves at a whist drive carried out under the auspices of the Community Club in its own hall at Comox. About seventy people sat down to the card tables and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. First prize among the ladies went to Mrs. A. T. Beckensell; second to Miss M. Graham, and the consolation to Mrs. W. McPhee. The gentlemen's honors were won by Mr. Albert Hornall, first; Mr. John Pritchard, second, and the consolation was awarded to Mr. James, a resident at the Chalet. After cards a dance was indulged in and dainty refreshments were served by members of the Community Club.

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Goes to Vancouver

Mr. Geo. Hamilton, who has been accountant at the local branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been transferred to Vancouver, and left this morning to take up his duties at the Mainland city.

CUMBERLAND

Hosts to Whist Players

On Saturday evening the Women's Auxiliary to the G. W. V. A. entertained their friends at a most enjoyable social and dance. The hall was crowded. Refreshments were served and dancing continued until midnight. The music was supplied by Mrs. Hudson and Mr. Robertson. The ladies gave this dance to entertain the many friends who have patronized their popular whist drives.

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Leave for Capital

Mr. T. Graham and his three sons, Pearce, Tom and Morton, accompanied by Hawthorne and Tom, sons of Mr. C. Graham, left on Monday for Victoria, where the boys will return to the University after spending the holidays with their parents.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. A. E. Jeffrey entertained at five tables of bridge on Monday evening. Mrs. G. Clinton won the ladies' first prize and Mrs. L. Nunns secured the consolation. Dr. Hicks won the men's first prize and Mr. G. Terbell the booby.

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Here on Business

Mr. G. Brisco, of the Northern Electric Co., of Vancouver, paid a business visit to town on Friday.

KEATING

Make Presentation

A happy event took place on Tuesday evening when members of the South Saanich Women's Institute, together with their husbands, surprised Mrs. Sutton at her home and in recognition of her services as president during the past year, presented her with a silver-mounted pie plate. Mrs. Gale made the presentation on behalf of the members, and as a slight token of regard from the directors Mrs. Gale presented a beautiful flowering plant. Mrs. Sutton thanked her coworkers for their kindness in a graceful little speech. The evening's entertainment was progressive five hundred, Mrs. Pat Gale winning the ladies' prize and Mr. T. F. Gold the gents' prize. Refreshments were served at the close of the game.

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Entertaining Tomorrow

Young people of the district are looking forward to the event being planned by the Ladies' Guild of St. Stephen's and St. Mary's, to take place at Saanichton Friday night. The early part of the evening will be devoted to cards, and suitable prizes will be awarded. Following this, Heaton's orchestra will furnish music for dancing. Supper arrangements are in the hands of a capable committee and there is every prospect for a most delightful evening.

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Attend Convention

Mr. H. E. Tanner, president of the Keating Fruitgrowers' Association, and Mr. Geo. Stewart, local director of the B.C.F.G.A., are at present attending a convention of fruitgrowers which is being held at Kelowna. They will not return until the early part of the coming week.

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Duncan Visitors

Mrs. X. F. Rey and Miss Barron, of Duncan, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Butler on Monday. Miss Barron returned home on Monday evening, while Mrs. Rey will remain until the end of the week.

SAANICH

Returns From Capital

Mrs. Hugh Creed has returned home after a few days' visit with friends in the city.

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Is Recovering

Mr. J. T. McKay, who underwent a minor operation at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Tuesday, is making favorable progress towards recovery.

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Entertained Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watt entertained visitors from the city on Tuesday.

SIDNEY

Secures Government Appointment

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McKay left Sidney last Saturday for Swanson Bay, where Mr. McKay has secured a Government appointment. Mr. McKay was secretary of the Social Club and both he and Mrs. McKay will be greatly missed in Sidney.

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Leaves for South

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rowse, of Henley, Sask., who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Forshaw, at Resthaven, left for Los Angeles on Sunday.

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Goes to Calgary

Mr. J. Hommell, business manager of Resthaven, has gone to Calgary on business connected with the sanitarium.

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Visits Neighboring States

Mr. F. Carpenter, of Resthaven, is visiting relatives in Washington and Oregon at present.

WEDDINGS

Gillan-Hart

At three o'clock yesterday afternoon a marriage of much general interest was celebrated very quietly at St. Andrew's Cathedral, the principals being Miss Eva Hart and Mr. John Q. Gillan. Rev. Father Wood, rector of the cathedral, performed the ceremony, Mr. Reginald Hincks, of whose "Playhouse" company both Miss Hart and Mr. Gillan have long been members, being one of the witnesses and accompanying the bride and bridegroom to the vestry to sign the register after the ceremony. The bride wore her going-away dress of pale grey Canton crepe de Chine with grey panne vogue picture hat faced with black and trimmed with cloignee ostrich shading from pale grey to mahogany. The groom's gift of a diamond and sapphire ring was the bride's only jeweled ornament, and her wrap was a coat of French seal trimmed with black fox. Mr. and Mrs. Gillan left by the half-past four o'clock boat for Seattle, where the honeymoon will be spent, and on their return they will take up their residence at Nelson Street, Esquimalt.

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SAANICH MEETING TO DISCUSS WATER BOARD

Public Gathering in St. Mark's Hall Tonight to Hear Scheme Outlined—Alderman to Speak

The first meeting to be held in Saanich in connection with the educative campaign concerning the Greater Victoria water board scheme will take place this evening in St. Mark's Hall under the auspices of the Saanich Central Ratepayers' Association, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Aldermen A. E. Todd and David Leeming will speak on the Water Board Act, after which an open discussion will take place. Mr. H. E. Cotlb, president of the Central Ratepayers' Association, will preside.

INJURED IN FALL

Mr. G. Gaetz, Telephone Company's Employee, Sustains Serious Injuries by Accident

Mr. George Gaetz, an employee of the B.C. Telephone Company, fell a distance of twenty feet from a telephone pole on which he was working at 8:15 o'clock yesterday morning, at the corner of Craigflower Road and Dominion Road. He sustained a fracture of the right collar bone, a broken right arm, and injuries to the spine.

In the Caswell & Cameron ambulance he was taken to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, where he received medical attention. It is believed that while seriously injured he will survive.

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OFFICERS OF ST. BARNABAS'

Annual Vestry Meeting Well Attended and Satisfactory Reports Given

The annual vestry meeting of St. Barnabas' Church was held on Monday evening and was well attended. The annual reports presented by the rector, churchwardens and the various guilds and church societies showed that satisfactory progress had been made during the past year in all branches of church work and activity.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rector's warden, Mr. G. W. Knox; people's warden, Mr. T. W. Durand; church committee, Messrs. Simpson, Gedrim, Locke, Hawes, Drum, Moss, Abbott, Griffiths, Endean and Bannerman; representatives to the synod, Messrs. Knox, Drum, Locke and Moss; representatives to the Ruri-Decanal Conference, Miss Roberts, Messrs. Abbott and Moss; envelope committee, Messrs. Hawes and Abbott.

Messrs. Wootton and Moss kindly acted as scrutineers. Before the meeting adjourned Mrs. Wootton read an interesting paper on the early days of the church and parish, which was very much appreciated.

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THREE-YEAR SENTENCE FOR SLAYING HUSBAND

CALGARY, Jan. 17.—Elizabeth Rae Dean, who slew her husband last October at Drumheller, last night was sentenced to three years' penal servitude in the Prince Albert penitentiary by Mr. Justice Tweedie. Although Mrs. Dean was tried for the murder of William Dean, the jury returned a verdict finding her guilty of manslaughter with a strong recommendation to the court for leniency.

TO ERECT MEMORIAL

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—The establishment of the, to date, only Canadian Breed of domestic fowl, the Chantecler, originated by Brother Wilfrid, poultry husbandman of the Oka Agricultural Institute, La Trappe, Que., is to be commemorated by the erection of a memorial at the Oka Agricultural Institute. According to present plans, which are subject to final consideration of a committee appointed for the purpose, the memorial will take the form of a basin, in the centre of which will be a large block of granite acting as a base for the bust of Brother Wilfrid, the originator of the breed, surmounted by an iron arch on which will be perched a reproduction, in iron, of a pair of Chantecler. The idea has the endorsement of Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, who has accepted the joint honorary presidency of the committee with Hon. J. E. Caron, Minister of Agriculture for Quebec Province. This committee will select the design, collect funds from friends of the breed, and supervise the work of erection of the monument.

Provincial Chapter I.O.D.E. in Session

Members Gather Here and Conduct Quarterly Business—War Memorial Scheme Formed Subject of Most Interesting Reports Covering the Whole Province

THE reports received at the quarterly meeting of Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., held yesterday morning and afternoon at the local headquarters, Jones Building, were of a most gratifying nature to members of the Order, indicating the advance and progress made by the admirable war memorial scheme for aiding children of ex-service men in obtaining further education, and also for developing in school children British ideals through the medium of historic pictures and suitable literature, compiled in the I.O.D.E. libraries.

Throughout the two sessions there was a large attendance of members present, and in the afternoon Mrs. Walter Nichol, honorary president, was at the meeting for a short time, and before leaving urged the members to encourage the young children who joined the Girl Guides, pointing out that the influence of the members in their homes might be of immense value to the Girl Guides, a body which is rapidly growing in Canada.

The two main features of the meeting were the clever reports given by Mrs. O. L. Boynton, educational secretary, of Vancouver, whose close association with her work and her ability to compile the many facts of her undertakings into concise reports were marked with the greatest appreciation of the meeting, and at the close of both the War Memorial work and the educational secretary's resume she was given quite an ovation, while the reports were interrupted several times with applause.

Educational Work

The educational secretary's report announced that in Vancouver, since the last quarterly report, $44.25 had been expended for books and pictures for local schools, and that another pupil had been adopted for secondary education, making a total of seven students, who are being helped to the amount of $11 during the ten months of school. A further fund had been inaugurated to enable other children of soldiers to get books or clothing so that they may continue at High School, and so far $25 had been expended. Victoria is assisting five students along similar lines, three at Victoria High School, one at Oak Bay and one at the Esquimalt High School.

All of these students are children of fallen or disabled ex-service men and in addition, the daughter of a returned man, and a young ex-soldier are being helped to take courses at the University of British Columbia.

The speaker added that in New Westminster subscriptions to The Illustrated Times had been renewed, and a soldier's son assisted with High School education.

Mrs. Boynton stated she was in possession of a comprehensive list of schools in British Columbia where there was a large percentage of foreign born children and would be glad to suggest schools of this kind to which chapters might send very welcome I.O.D.E. pictures and libraries.

War Memorial

In the War Memorial report Mrs. Boynton stated that sixty collections of pictures have been allocated to this Province by the National I.O.D.E. War Memorial Committee. Of these sixty colections, fifty-three have been allocated as follows: Vancouver, eleven; Victoria, six; New Westminster, three; Chilliwack, one; Burnaby, two; Prince Rupert, one; Fernie, one; Nelson, one; Nanaimo, one; South Vancouver, three; Ladysmith, one; Vernon, one; Penticton, one; Revelstoke, one; Trail, one; Grand Forks, one; Duncan, one; Mission City, one; Agassiz, one; Kamloops, one; Kelowna, one; North Vancouver, one; Langley District, one; Maple Ridge, one; Cumberland, one; Point Grey, one; Ladner, one; West Vancouver, one; Cranbrook, one; Prince George, one; Alert Bay, one; Saanich District, one; Surrey District, one.

Schools Co-operate

In the majority of cases the pictures are being framed by the school board of the district concerned, in others the local chapter and the school board are sharing the cost of framing. No decision has yet been made with regard to the assumption of the cost of framing for the six collections to be placed in the Victoria schools.

As each collection consists of about forty pictures, copies of originals by the best artists of the day and valued at about $100 per collection, it will be readily understood that this gift of the I.O.D.E. to the schools of British Columbia is an exceedingly valuable one in every sense. The utmost care has been taken in the allotment of the pictures with a view to their educational value, especially in the rural districts.

An interesting item in the report referred to the donation of $1,500 to the War Memorial Fund by Mr. Osler, legal adviser to the National War Memorial Committee, this representing the amount due to him for his advice in connection with the legal steps taken to secure the picture rights. Mr. Osler returned this sum to the fund as his contribution, a generous act which has been much appreciated.

Winners of War Memorials

Mrs. Boynton expressed her satisfaction at the excellent progress being made by the B. C. winners of the War Memorial bursaries and overseas scholarships, which had more than justified the committee's selection of the candidates.

In response to a special "Armistice Thankoffering" appeal, the Vancouver chapters contributed $539.85; Victoria, $86.45; New Westminster, $87.65; Chilliwack, $17.25; Burnaby, $7.75; Prince Rupert, $211.75, and the isolated primary chapters, $837.40. With these gifts the total contributions to the War Memorial Fund in British Columbia since November 1 of last year is $2,422.85, or from the opening of the fund to date, $38,375.30.

To Complete Quota

The discussion following the report was most encouraging to the members, especially to those who have the War Memorial schemo at heart, and it was felt by all that now the scheme is in actual process the advantages attained will be more fully appreciated. Mrs. Henry Croft spoke most warmly on behalf of the scheme, adding that every individual in the order should shoulder their responsibility in this respect, and sincerely hoping that the Provincial quota would be raised by April, she concluded her remarks by saying: "As one of the first regents of the early chapters, the Camosun, I beg and implore every member to consider this project before April."

Mrs. Boyle, of Vancouver, gave an interesting speech on the existing circumstances of immigration. Keen enthusiasm was aroused at the conclusion of the address, the outcome of which was a resolution to the effect that a committee be appointed to further investigate into the subject and report. Two sentences of Mrs. Boyle's address should be retained in the memory of every I.O.D.E.: "In the month of December 650 travelers were assisted in some way by the Travelers' Aid secretary in Vancouver. A few of those remained in British Columbia, but most of them passed on to the States," and again, "It may engage your interest to learn that in one week in November 1,000 Canadians passed through Vancouver to find homes and positions in the States."

Mrs. Boyle gave a second short speech, in which she drew the attention of the members to forthcoming lectures by Sir Henry Newbolt, who will speak here next month on the question of National Lectureship scheme. The National Educational conference was held in 1919, and it is hoped that in due course a Canadian Bureau of Education will be inaugurated. A meeting with this objective will be held in Toronto in the Spring, and an international conference on educationalists will be held in the Summer in London, Eng.

History Text Books

Referring to the history books now used in certain schools, it was resolved that the sub-committee of the Provincial Chapter should inquire into the subject and report at the annual Provincial meeting.

Hearty votes of thanks were passed to Mrs. Nichol, Mrs. Sampson and Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., for their hospitality to the visitors. Mrs. Sampson responded with a few suitable remarks.

Morning Session

The secretary's report for the quarter announced the resignation from that office of Mrs. Armour Wilson and the appointment of Mrs. F. J. Bayfield, of Vancouver, to succeed her for the balance of the year. Mrs. Edgar Lee, Provincial treasurer, gave a most gratifying report, showing that the fees of every primary chapter throughout the Province had been paid to date.

Mrs. T. W. Martindale, Echoes secretary, made a further appeal for new subscribers and also brought before the meeting a letter regarding the advertising possibilities of the magazine. Mrs. Sprott, organizing secretary, announced that no new chapters had been formed during the past quarter, but that several new ones were in process of formation.

In her presidential address, Mrs. de Pencier struck a portentous note when she urged Daughters of the Empire to stand shoulder to shoulder and be prepared, from day to day, to meet any eventualities which might arise out of the crisis now developing in Europe.

The meeting passed a standing vote of sincere condolence to Miss Joan Arnoldi, former national president, in the recent death of her mother. Letters of sympathy will also be forwarded to Mrs. Bryce-Brown, Provincial convener of Child Welfare, who has been seriously ill for many months, and to Mrs. J. S. Clute, of New Westminster, in the illness of her husband.

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At present, pulp board does not appear in the customs tariff as a specific item, but if classified under pulp wood or straw, is liable to import duties of 15 per cent preferential and 25 per cent intermediate and general.

TURKISH DELEGATE BECOMES NERVOUS

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which the Angora Government might give acceptance to. This delicate self-imposed assignment shows no indications of being "well covered."

To Revise Turkish Code

The Turks again dropped hints tonight that they stand ready to employ a corps of foreign legal experts to revise the Turkish code, and they went a step further than heretofore by intimating that these experts could perhaps consult with the Turkish judges in cases affecting foreigners in their "advisory capacity."

That a temporary halt has come in the discussion of the main unsettled issues was evidenced by the fact that today's conference activities were confined to the sub-commission's drafting further details of the project for the obligatory exchange of populations on which an accord has already been reached in principle.

No Tax on Goods

It was decided that when the Greeks in Turkey move to Greece and the Turks in Greece emigrate to Turkey, they take all their goods and chattels with them without tax. All Christian edifices and mosques will be sold and the proceeds credited to the corresponding institutions in the other country.

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Quaker Brand Rolled Oats, in cartons. Clearance Sale ..... 23¢
or 2 for ..... 45¢
Garton's Custard Powder. Clearance Sale, 3 packets ..... 32¢
Clark's Assorted Soups. Clearance Sale (except chicken), 3 tins for ..... 38¢
Del Monte Brand Fancy Quality Asparagus, mammoth size, green or white, large size tins. Clearance Sale ..... 45¢
Quaker Brand Damson or Greengage Plums. Clearance Sale, 2 tins for 35¢

Jams and Jellies at Special Prices

King Beach Jams and Jellies, 1-lb. glass jars. Clearance Sale, each ..... 31¢
King Beach Raspberry, Strawberry and Loganberry Jams, 4-lb. tins. Clearance Sale ..... 96¢
King Beach Apricot Jam, 4-lb. tins. Clearance Sale ..... 91¢
—Lower Main Floor

Candy Specials

Hudson's Bay Luxura Pearled Peanuts
A sugar coated candy, value 25c. January Clearance Sale, per lb. 20¢

Hudson's Bay Luxura Sugar Coated Licorice Lozenges
Value 50c. January Clearance Sale, per lb. ..... 40¢

Ganong's Assorted Chocolates
Including cocoatines, Bordeaux, coffee creams, cream wafers, peppermint creams, chocolate jelly ginger and assorted creams; value 80c. January Clearance Sale, per lb. 60¢

Orange Crush Bars
Value 5c. January Clearance Sale, 6 for ..... 25¢

English Wrapped Toffee Rolls
January Clearance Sale, per lb. box ..... 45¢
—Main Floor

Red Mark Reductions in Footwear

Women's Strap Shoes
Made from black kid in one-strap style, wide pattern with flapper heel. Suitable for women and growing girls; sizes 3 to 7. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$3.95**

Men's Work Boots
Hudson's Bay Standard Service Boots, made for comfort and wear; in black box grain, half bellows tongue style; sizes 7½ to 11, but no 8. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$3.95**

Misses' School Boots
Black Velour Calf Lace Boots with good stout soles and low heels, on a common sense last; sizes 11 to 2. January Clearance Sale.... **$2.95**

Boys' Boots
Strongly Constructed School Boots, in tan and black box grain, stout uppers and extra strong soles; sizes 11 to 13. January Clearance Sale, pair **$2.50**
—Main Floor

Girls' Polly Prim and Overall Aprons Special 98c

Polly Prim Aprons, made from pretty cretonne in attractive patterns, piped with self colors, and Girls' Overall Aprons, made from splendid quality print, in slip-over style; square neck and kimono sleeves, two patch pockets, trimmed with rick-rack braid; tie sash at back; sizes 6 to 14 years. January Clearance Sale, each **98c**
—2nd Floor

Fur Neckpieces

Values to $18.00 Marked Down to $8.95

For today we offer fur scarves, stoles, ties and chokers in opossum, sable opossum, kit fox, black wolf, French seal, mole, taupe wolf and several other furs. Values to $18.00. January Clearance Sale, each **$8.95**
—2nd Floor

Look for "Red Mark"

During the last two or three days our merch partments with his red pencil, reducing to s merchandise which he decrees must not appe Plan to take advantage today of these speci here as to how low prices have been marke sensational nature of these bargains. Early sh

The Red Pencil Has Cut Deeply Into Prices on Women's and Misses' Ready-to-Wear

The merchandise manager has minutely inspected the whole of our stock of ready-t wear, and what he did in the way of cutting prices cannot adequately be told in th advertisement. Suits, coats, wraps, dresses and gowns were all victims of his deadl red pencil.

Afternoon Dresses at Mark-Down Prices

1 English Spun Silk Dress
Size 38, value $35.00. Marked Down Price is $19.50

One Jade and White Crepe de Chine Dress
Size 40, value $49.50. Marked Down Price is $17.50

Two Canton Crepe Dresses
One navy and one brown, sizes 36 and 40; value $29.50. Marked Down Price, $19.50

One Chinese Blue Crepe de Chine and Wool Lace Dress
Size 40, value $35.00. Marked Down Price is $19.50

One Canton Crepe Dress
Full skirt and trimmed with self material, in jade only; size 18; value $39.50. Marked Down Price $25.00

Three Canton Crepe Dresses
Flare skirts and long sleeves; brown, size 38; navy, size 36, and black, size 40; value $49.50. Marked Down Price $39.50

One White Canton Crepe Dress
Trimmed with silk medallions, size 20; valu $35.00. Marked Down Price $25.0

One Black Canton Crepe Dress
Trimmed with grey, size 16; value $49.5 Marked Down Price $19.5

One Black Crepe Satin Gown
Trimmed with silver embroidery and monke fur, size 38; value $49.50. Marked Dow Price $39.5

One Gown of Adriatic Georgette
Trimmed with panels and beading, size 3 value $59.50. Marked Down Price, $39.5

One Handsome Afternoon Gown of Magolia Crepe Satin
Trimmed with flounce of self material, si 38, value $95.00. Marked Down Price, $59.5
—2nd Flo

Sports Skirts

Values to $9.75 for $4.75

A special collection of Sports Skirts, in tailored and pleated styles. Made from good quality tricotine, prunella, flannel and tweeds, in all the newest stripes and checks, in the season's smartest colors; waist sizes 27 to 42. Marked Down Price **$4.75**
—2nd Floor

Fur-Trimmed Coats

Values to $49.50, Sale Price $22.50

These coats feature all the latest ideas, with their blouse back flare skirts, wrap around fronts, novelty sleeves and fur collars beaverine, wolf and caracul. Made from good quality Bolivi Normandy and Velour Cloth in shades of Nubian, brown, cong muffin, navy and black, indigo and king's blue. Sizes 16 to 42. Marked-Down Price **$22.50**
—2nd Flo

Red Mark Specials From the Men's Section

Men's Combinations $1.50 a Suit
Men's Medium Weight Mercury Brand Combinations, made with closed croteh and one-button seat. A good warm and serviceable garment. Just 16 suits to clear; sizes 34 and 36 only. January Clearance Sale..... **$1.50**
—Main Floor

Men's Soft Collars, 25c Each
Men's Soft Collars, made by the Delpark Company. All good styles and all sizes; odd lines; value 50c. January Clearance Sale, each **25c**
—Main Floor

Men's Neckwear Reduced to 35c
Men's Art Silk Ties, in wide flowing-end style. A good variety of floral and striped patterns to choose from. January Clearance Sale 35c
3 for $1.00
—Main Floor

Great Saving in Men's Sweater Coats

Heavy Knit Wool Mixture Sweater Coats, made with shawl collar and two pockets, in shades of lovat only. This is one of the best sweater bargains of the season; all sizes. January Clearance Sale, each **$1.95**
—Main Floor

Men's Rubberized Tweed Overcoats for $7.95

A good serviceable coat for all weathers. Made from good quality rubberized tweed, in desirable shades of green, grey and brown; rainproof and windproof. Cut in smart single breasted style, with full belt and convertible collar; sizes 34 to 40; value $12.95. January Clearance Sale **$7.95**
—Main Floor

Men's Black Rubber Coats Special $5.00
English made from good quality black rubber, in smart single breasted style, with full belt and snug fitting collar, rainproof and windproof; sizes 36 and 38 only; values to $9.50 January Clearance Sale, each **$5.00**
—Main Floor

Men's Tweed Suits, $22.95
Tailored from good quality tweed, in shades of grey, brown and green. Cut in styles to suit all men; in two and three-button models, with extra strong linings; sizes 35 to 39. Values to $30.00. January Clearance Sale **$22.95**
—Main Floor

Mark Down Items in the Drug Department

Pears' Unscented Soap, value 20c. 2 for ..... 27¢
French Vanishing Cream, value 50c for 33¢
Hot Water Bottles, value $1.25 for..... 78¢
Talcum Powders, value 50c for..... 33¢
Emulsified Cocoanut Oil, value 35c for 23¢
Scott's Emulsion, value 50c, for ..... 43¢
Wood's Norway Pine, value 35c, for ..... 23¢
Musterole, value 50c, for ..... 37¢
Peps, value 50c ..... 37¢
Nuxated Iron, value $1.00, for ..... 78¢
Cascarets, value 50c, for ..... 39¢
—Main Floor

Boys' Tweed Bloomers, $1.25 a Pair

Made from strong wearing wool mixture tweeds, in shades of grey, brown and green mixtures. Cut in a roomy style, lined throughout and finished with belt loops and patent governor fasteners; sizes 8 to 18 years. Values to $1.95. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$1.25**
—Main Floor

120 Pairs Boys' Black Cotton Hose at 15c Pair

You'll have to shop early for these special good wearing hose of exceptionally strong quality. Fine for school wear. All sizes. Marked down to, per pair **15c**
No Phone or C.O.D. Orders, Please
—Main Floor

Note These Mark-Down Specials in Women's Hosiery

Extra Out-Size Cashmere Hose
All-Wool Cashmere Hose, with full fashioned leg, seamless, deep hem top, spliced heels and toes; extra wide legs; sizes 8½, 9 and 9½ only; value $1.50. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$1.10**

Black Cashmere Hose With Natural Soles
Full fashioned, extra spliced heels and toes; good wide flare tops; sizes 8½ to 10. Value $1.35. January clearance Sale, per pair **$1.10**

All-Wool Cashmere Hose
With wide suspender top and reinforced feet, in black, white, purple, navy, brown, coating, seal, fawn and emerald; sizes 8½ to 10. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$1.15**

2-1 Ribbed Cashmere Hose
English-Made All-Wool 2-1 Ribbed Hose, seamless feet, with narrow hem tops, in grey, coating, tan, toney and nigger; sizes 8½ to 10. January Clearance Sale, per pair..... **85c**

4-1 Ribbed Heather Hose
With hemmed tops and reinforced feet, seamless; in brown and green heathers and grey and dark mixtures; sizes 8½ to 10. January Clearance Sale, per pair **89c**

Black Cashmere Hose With Clocks
Fine Quality Black Cashmere Hose, with white embroidered clocks, deep hem tops, shaped feet; sizes 8½ to 10; value $2.25. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$1.79**
—Main Floor

Red Pencil Reductions in Millinery

We have selected from our regula stock a number of Trimmed Hat including beautiful pattern hat which must be sold before stock taking. These are made in th smartest of styles from the bea materials. Values to $15.00. Jan uary Clearance Sale, each, **$5.00**
—2nd Flo

Children's Gloves at Special Prices

Children's Wool Mitts
All-Wool Mitts for children, in navy, grey, cream or silver; value 50c. January Clearance Sale, per pair **39c**

Children's All-Wool Gloves
English and Scotch-Made All-Wool Gloves, in colors of grey, brown, navy, black, white and fancy colors; values to 65c. January Clearance Sale, per pair..... **45c**

Misses' Gauntlet Gloves

Brushed Wool Gauntlet Gloves for girls, in white, camel, grey and fawn; value $1.00. January Clearance Sale, per pair **85c**
—Main Floor

Women's French Kid Gloves, Special $1.49 Pair

Made from good wearing skins with self points, two dome fasteners. A good fitting Glove, in shades of tan, brown, grey, pastel, black and white; sizes 5¾ to 7¼; value $2.50. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$1.49**
—Main Floor

Plant Specials

100 Cyclamen Plants, grown from best imported seeds, in a large variety of colors. To sell today, Friday and Saturday at, each 60c
100 Ferns, in flower pots. To sell today, Friday and Saturday, each..... 25c
—Main Floor

Girls' Fleece-Lined Bloomers, Special 79c

Bloomers of good weight knit cot ton, slightly fleeced. Well mad garments, with gusset, in shade of saxe, grey and navy. Sizes 6 t 14 years. January Clearance Sale per pair, **79c**
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THE SEAL OF QUALITY

50c Luncheon
Served Daily from 11:30 to 2:30
Orchestra in Attendance
—4th Floor

Sugar Shells and Jam Spoons Half Price

English Plated Nickel Silver Spoons to clear today at half price; value 50c. A dependable spoon at this small price. January Clearance Sale, each **25c**
—Lower Main Floor

Lamp or Candle Shades Special 19c

Asbestos lined, non-inflammable lamp or candle shades in plain and Dresden designs, in colors of sky, rose, blue, pink, gold, green, brown and red. Values 35c and 50c. January Clearance Sale, each **19c**
—Main Floor

...ARANCE SALE

...rice Cards and Tickets

...lise manager has been around the various de- lower prices hundreds of lines of seasonable ...on our inventory sheets at the end of the month. ...fferings. While you can get some idea from the few items advertised ...et only a visit to the store will enable you to fully appreciate the ...ing will be necessary, as many of the lines advertised are limited.

White Cotton Towels

Marked Down to 8c Each

White Cotton Towels, suitable for barbers, dentists and general household use; size 15 by 27. January Clearance Sale, each **8c**
—Main Floor

Mark Down Specials in Lace Doilies

Plate Doilies
Eight inches in diameter; plain centres with Tenneriffe lace edges. January Clearance Sale, each **5c**

Plate Doilies
Fancy Lace Centres, with Tenneriffe lace edges, 8 inches in diameter. January Clearance Sale, each **7c**

Plate Doilies
Plain and Drawn Work Centres, with crochet and Tenneriffe lace edges, 8 inches in diameter. January Clearance Sale, each **10c**

Plate Doilies
Plain Centres, with heavy crocht lace edges, 10 inches in diameter. January Clearance Sale, each **19c**
—Main Floor

See Our Half Price Sweater Table

Odd lines of Women's Sweaters, including Jersey Cloth, Wool and Silk and Wool Sweaters, in both tuxedo and slip-over styles. Come in shades of rose, grey, pink, scarlet, tan, white and black.

Value $4.49. Marked Down to **$2.25**
Value $5.50. Marked Down to **$2.75**
Value $7.75. Marked Down to **$3.88**
Value $10.75. Marked Down to **$5.38**
Value $11.75. Marked Down to **$5.88**

Only a limited quantity; shop early and avoid disappointment.
—2nd Floor

A Special Turkey Luncheon 50c

Will Be Served Today
From 11:30 to 2:30

MENU

Consomme Celestine
Potage Crecy

Broiled Halibut Steak
Grilled Lamb Chops and Peas
Asparagus Omelette

Roast Stuffed Turkey and
Cranberry Sauce

Boiled or Mashed Potatoes
Carrots, Vichy Brussels Sprouts

Combination Cold Luncheon
Potato Salad Pickles

Meringue Chantilly
Deep Apple Pie and Cream
Macedone Jelly
Cheese and Celery

Tea Coffee Milk

Orchestra in Attendance
—4th Floor

Mark-Down Prices on Furniture Oddments

We have segregated a number of Furniture Oddments which we intend to clear out in order to make room for Spring goods due to arrive shortly. Now is your opportunity to save on the purchase of a dining-room suite, bed or any other furniture which you need. Note these very low prices:

Simmons Steel Beds, $11.25
Full Size Steel Beds, 1 1-6-inch pillars and ⅝-inch fillers. Marked Down Price **$11.25**

Simmons Steel Beds
A 2-Inch Continuous Post White Enamel Bed, with five 1-inch fillers, Simmons' patent lock. A beautiful bed at the price. Marked Down Price **$15.95**

Simmons Steel Beds
Full Size White Enamel Steel Beds, 15-16-inch pillars; brass trimmings. Marked Down Price **$16.20**

Brass Beds Greatly Reduced

Brass Beds
2-Inch Post Brass Beds, with five fillers; finished in satin ribbon. Marked Down Price **$17.95**

Brass Beds
2-Inch Continuous Post Brass Beds, with five 1-inch fillers; finished in satin ribbon. Marked Down Price **$25.50**

Star Felt Mattress, $7.50

This is an All-Felt Mattress of excellent quality, covered with good strong art ticking, and made with roll edge. This Mattress will not lump, and is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Marked Down Price **$7.50**

4-Piece Ivory Bedroom Suite, $83.50

This Suite consists of large dresser, dressing table with three mirrors, large chiffonier and bench to match, well made and finished. Marked Down Price, 4 pieces **$83.50**

Note These Special Bargains on Three-Piece Parlor Suites

Three-Piece Parlor Suite
Finished in walnut, with cane back and ends, upholstered, with spring seats; covered in blue velour. Marked Down Price **$125.00**

Walnut Finished Parlor Suite
Three-Piece Walnut Parlor Suite, with upholstered back and seat; consists of settee, rocker and chair. Marked Down Price **$97.50**

Mahogany Parlor Suite
Three-Piece Mahogany Parlor Suite, with spring seat and fine shaped back; finished in hand-rubbed mahogany. Marked Down Price **$63.00**

Solid Oak Dining-Room Suite for $93.50
This Suite is made of selected oak; buffet, six-foot extension table, with three leaves; set of six diners; chairs covered in genuine leather. Marked Down Price **$93.50**
—4th Floor

Remnant Sale of Household Staples Woollen Goods and Silks

After the heavy selling of the past two weeks we have accumulated numberless remnants which have been greatly reduced in price in order to clear.

Included are remnants of pillow cotton, sheeting, crash roller toweling, white and striped Turkish toweling, longcloth, nainsook, bridal cloth, madapollam, white and striped flannelette, ticking, plain and check glass toweling, table damask.

Silk remnants of crepe de Chine, georgette, crepe knit, satin, Duchesse satin, wash satin, charmeuse satin, black satin, taffeta, novelty crepe, habutai silk, pongee silk, velveteens and chiffon velvet.

Remnants of wool and cotton fabrics, including velour and plaid coating, navy and black serge, poplin, armure, flannel, homespun, print, gingham, Indian head, chambray, beacon robing, eiderdown, crepe, galatea, lining, nurse cloth, etc.
—Main Floor

All at Greatly Reduced Prices

Cups and Saucers

Hundreds of Fine English China Cups and Saucers in a Big Clearance—Values to $11.40 a Dozen—All Grouped to Clear at 69c Each

All pretty shapes and decorations, including high grade fine English Cobalt Blue Band and After-Dinner Coffee Cups and Saucers. Many tall shape cups among them; values to $11.40 a dozen. January Clearance Sale, each **69c**
—Lower Main Floor

Beautiful English China Cups and Saucers, Special $1.95 Each
A selection of beautiful English China Decorated Cups and Saucers, in some eight or ten patterns; value $2.75. January Clearance Sale, each **$1.95**

52-Piece English Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets, $17.00
This is a very pretty set, and consists of six dinner plates, six tea plates, six bread and butter plates, six soup plates, six fruits, six cups and saucers, one platter, one covered vegetable dish, one salad, one slop bowl, one gravy boat and stand and one covered sugar and cream; value $22.50. January Clearance Sale, per 52-piece set **$17.00**

Dozens of Odd China Pieces all red pencil marked for today's selling.
—Lower Main Floor

Scotch Madras Muslins and Filet Curtain Nets

Values to 75c for 49c

250 Yards of Scotch Madras Muslins and Filet Curtain Nets, of excellent quality, in a choice selection of designs, in white and ivory. January Clearance Sale, yard **49c**

Curtain Muslins and Taped Edge Marquisettes Special, 45c a Yard
Finest Quality Curtain Muslins and Taped Edge Marquisettes; values to 59c. January Clearance Sale, per yard **45c**

Double Bordered Curtain Scrim, 22c a Yard
36-inch Good Quality Curtain Scrim, in plain or colored borders. January Clearance Sale, per yard **22c**

1,000 Yards of 36-Inch Cretonnes, Special 25c Yard
36-inch Cretonne, in patterns suitable for any requirement. 1,000 yards to clear at this remarkable price. January Clearance Sale, per yard **25c**
—3rd Floor

Women's Neckwear Half Price

Consisting of net and lace, satin, linen and flannel with silk braid in Bramley and Tuxedo styles. Value $1.98. January Clearance Sale, each **99c**
—Main Floor

The Red Pencil Has Been Freely Used Here

Novelty Blouses Half Price

Included in this group are smart georgette crepe over-blouses smartly braided in contrasting colors; others trimmed with Paisley georgette crepe.

Heavy Quality Crepe de Chine Blouses, tuck-in and over-blouse styles, exclusive models elaborately embroidered in Oriental colorings; others trimmed with colored stitching in effective designs. Come in shades of sand, rust, henna, navy and white.

Value $13.75. January Clearance Sale **$6.88**
Value $14.50. January Clearance Sale **$7.25**
Value $15.75. January Clearance Sale **$7.88**
Value $16.50. January Clearance Sale **$8.25**
Value $17.50. January Clearance Sale **$8.75**
Value $19.50. January Clearance Sale **$9.75**
—2nd Floor

Mark-Down Specials From the Hardware Department

Electric Irons
This is a splendid buy in an Electric Iron, fully guaranteed; value $6.00. January Clearance Sale, each **$4.95**

Electric Radiant Heaters
Here is a fine Electric Stove to heat that cold spot in the house or bathroom. 12 only to clear today. January Clearance Sale, each **$5.95**

Pretty Electric Table Lamps
Mahogany finished base; complete with silk shades. 12 only of these lamps to clear today. January Clearance Sale, each **$6.95**
—Lower Main Floor

50 Axminster Hearthrugs Reduced to $2.59 Ea.

Size 27 by 54 inches. A yard and a half of Axminster carpet of this width would cost you at least $4.50, therefore the value offered in these hearthrugs is quite apparent. A variety of colorings in hit and miss designs. January Clearance Sale, each

$2.59
—3rd Floor

Extraordinary Bargains in Jewelry

Pearl Necklaces
French Indestructible Pearls, in long and medium strings; graduated and finished with good strong clasp.
Value $5.00. January Clearance Sale, **$3.95**
Value $7.50. January Clearance Sale, **$5.95**
Value $10.00. January Clearance Sale, **$7.50**

Photo Frames
Small Size Photo Frames, suitable for snap shots; round and oval shapes; value 35c. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **25¢**

Kum-a-Part Sleeve Links
Striped, Enamelled or Gilt Sleeve Links, in assorted designs, with initials.
Value $1.50. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$1.10**
Value $2.00. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$1.50**

Napkin Rings
Stratnoid Napkin Rings, will wear white right through; value 35c. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **25¢**

Jet Necklaces
French Jet Beads, knotted strung, with large centre bead; value $2.25. January Clearance Sale **$1.50**

Pearl Brooches
"Stratinum" White Metal Bar Pins, set with large pearl; value 35c. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **25¢**

Manicure Pieces
Hall-Marked Silver Pieces, including Nail Files, Button Hooks, Cuticles, Tweezers, Etc.; value $1.50 each. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **98¢**

Sterling Silver Pencils
English-Made Propelling and Push-Through Pencils; value $1.50. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **98¢**
—Main Floor

Boys' and Girls' Books HALF PRICE

Good clean books for boys and girls, including some of the 1922 annuals. These are all odd lines from our best sellers. Values $1.00 to $2.50. January Clearance Sale ..... **50¢** to **$1.25**
—Lower Main Floor

Clearing All Odd Wilton, Brussels and Axminster Rugs at Big Reductions

Four Only, Wilton Rugs
Size 4-6 x 7-6; suitable for halls or small rooms; values to $29.50. January Clearance Sale, each **$22.50**

Six Only, Wilton Rugs
For halls, archways or hearths; attractive Wilton Rugs, with fringed ends; size 27 x 54. January Clearance Sale, **$6.95**

One Only, Extra Heavy Wilton Rug
In neat all-over design, in rich coloring and of exceptionally heavy quality; size 9 x 9; value $72.50. January Clearance Sale **$57.50**

Eight Only, Axminster Rugs
Soft Heavy Wool Pile Axminster Rugs, in particularly good patterns; size 6-9 x 9. January Clearance Sale, each **$27.50**

Seamless Tapestry Rugs
2 only, size 6-9 x 9, value $21.00. January Clearance Sale **$14.95**
1 only, size 7-6 x 9, value $22.50. January Clearance Sale **$18.95**
4 only, size 9 x 10-6, value $31.50. January Clearance Sale, each **$26.50**
4 only, size 9 x 12, value $35.00. January Clearance Sale, each **$29.75**

Three Only, Novelty Oval Wilton Rugs
Three only, French Wilton Rugs in soft colorings; size 27 x 54; value $4.95. January Clearance Sale, each **$3.75**

Brussels Rugs
1 only, size 6-9 x 9, value $23.50. January Clearance Sale **$19.75**
1 only, size 9 x 9, value $32.75. January Clearance Sale **$29.75**
3 only, size 9 x 12, value $47.50. January Clearance Sale **$39.75**
—3rd Floor

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An Opportune Reduction on Golf Sticks

54 only, Thistle and Carnoustic Golf Sticks, including drivers, brassies, niblicks, mid-irons, mashie niblicks, jiggers and putters. Clearing up a few oddments to make room for Spring stocks. Values $2.95 to $3.25. Our $2.95 line is a special fully worth $3.50. Our $3.25 line is fully worth $4.00. Your choice **$2.50**
—Lower Main Floor

Sporting Goods Sale Now On

Buy your sporting goods sundries for Spring and Summer now. The savings in the following lines are really worthwhile.

GOLF
FISHING
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FOOTBALL
SWEATERS
SHAVING SUNDRIES
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Peden Bros

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SPORTING NEWS

Fitz's Soccer Team Jumps Into Lead in Wednesday League

Defeated Weilers Yesterday by Three to One on Beacon Hill Ground—All Scoring Done in First Half of Game—Garrison-Bays Match Not Played—Ground Too Wet

FITZ'S Wednesday League soccer team, which has been in second place in the league standing for the last three weeks, jumped into the leadership yesterday when they defeated Weiler's, who have had the satisfaction of being on the top of the ladder all season, by 3-1 in a real hard fought battle. All the scoring was done in the first half of the game. Cummings scored two of Fitz's goals, the other coming off one of Weiler's players from a shot by White. Weiler's only goal was scored in the latter part of the first half when they drew Fitz's goalie out and scored in the open goal.

From the kick-off, Fitz's, who were kicking down hill, peppered Lomas, Weiler's net custodian, with shots of all descriptions, and only sensational work on the part of this goalie saved his team from early defeat. When the game had been in progress about ten minutes, Cummings put his team one up when he beat the opposing net custodian with a hot drive just underneath the crossbar, the goalie being helpless to save. This feat he accomplished after evading the defence, which left him with only the goalie to beat. This score on the part of Fitz's seemed to awaken new pep into the game, and the play went to Fitz's end of the field, and Jasper, in goal for Fitz's, was called upon to save some hot shots, all of which he seemed quite capable of handling, and the Weller eleven found it impossible to net the pigskin for the tally that would have tied the score. This attack on Fitz's goal, which was successfully staved off by the defence, only lasted for a few minutes, when Fitz's forwards received the ball and went down and chalked up another goal. This time White shot, the ball hit one of Weller's backs and bounced into the goal, with the goalie completely baffled. About five minutes later Cummings brought the score 3-0 in favor of Fitz's when he scored his second goal with a well-placed shot.

Weller's Score

With the score 3-0 against them, Weller's put up a game fight, and were finally rewarded with a goal when their forwards beat Fitz's defence and drew the goalie out, leaving the goal empty. With the empty goal facing them, one of the players shot, his shot being rather weak, but still having sufficient force to put the ball into the net for a goal. For the remainder of this half Fitz's tested the opposing goalie with some really hot shots, but he displayed real good work and refused to let the pigskin pass him for another tally. The whistle sounded for half-time with the score 3-1 in favor of the eventual winners.

The rest period over, both teams came on the field to continue the fight for supremacy, and although there were quite a few close calls on both sides, neither team was able to add any additional goals to its total. The final whistle sounded with Fitz's the victors by a 3-1 score.

When Fitz's team took the field yesterday they displayed some new material in their line-up, namely, Cummings, Spiers and Ward, of the Garrison eleven. Cummings certainly worked to advantage, as he scored two of the goals, and only for good work on the part of Lomas, guarding the citadel for the Weller eleven, this player would have had another goal or two to his credit. Fitz's defence played good football, while their forward line was a little weak on the left. Their regular wing men being unable to turn out, Spiers and Erskina had to play on the left, and neither of these players is accustomed to this position. Whyte, at centre forward, showed up well. For Weller's, Steele, at back, Lomas, in goal, and Sweeton, at centre half, were the most effective players.

The Line-Up

Percy Payne refereed, and the teams took the field as follows:

Fitz's—Jasper; Grimes, Tate; Lynn, Gibson and Ward; Sharcott, Cummings, Whyte, Erskine, Spiers.

Weller's—Lomas; Hay and Steele; B. Hall, Sweeton and J. Hall; Harper, Peterson, Rogers, Livingstone and A. N. Other.

League Standing

The league standing of the Victoria and District Wednesday League up to and including yesterday's games, is as follows:

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Fitz's	11	5	2	4	14
Weller's	11	5	4	2	12
Hudson's Bay	12	3	6	3	9
Garrison	10	2	5	3	7

With the schedule of the Victoria and District Wednesday League drawing to a close, it looks as if the fight for the Pendray Cup, emblematic of the league championship, will be between Fitz's and the Weller eleven. These teams have yet to clash in one more league match, that being a postponed game from the beginning of the season. They have four games apiece to play. Weller's play the Garrison twice, Hudson's Bay and Fitz's once each. Fitz's have yet to play two games with the Garrison and one with each of the other teams. With the transfer of the Garrison players to Fitz's team, some people are under the impression that the Garrison will drop out of the league, but such is not the case. When Sgt. Watson, of the P.P.C.L.I., who is manager of the team, was approached on the subject, he stated that the Garrison would stay with it and still fight just as hard as before. "No doubt we will miss our players, but we are in the game for sport, and there we intend to stay," he said.

The other Wednesday League game was not played, on account of wet grounds.

TIMES EASY VICTORS AGAINST SIXTEENTH

Defaulting League Game, Regiment Puts on Team at Armories Which Meets 42-1 Defeat

The Sixteenth Canadian Scottish failed to turn out a full team for the league basketball match with The Times at the Armories last night, with the result that the fixture was defaulted, but the Regiment filled in with an unregistered player and put a quintette on the floor for an exhibition game. A one-sided contest concluded with a score of 42 to 1 in favor of the newspaper boys. The score at half time was 16-0.

The lone tally of the Sixteenth came in the second half when Scoville secured a basket from a free shot. The soldier team was lighter than that of The Times, which was more successful with its shooting and smothered the attacks of its opponents. Hemingway was the high scorer with 18 points, while Hastings secured 16, Hopkins 6 and Menkus 2.

The teams were as follows:

Sixteenth Canadian Scottish—Bowcott, Wyles, de Macedo, Scoville and Watson.

Times—Hastings, Hopkins, Hemingway, Menkus and Yeamans.

The game was played at the regular Wednesday night entertainment of the Canadian Scottish. At 8:30 dancing commenced on the spacious floor of the Armories, the Canadian Scottish Band providing the music. Hundreds of people were present to take part, these dances having found strong favor with the Victoria public.

In addition to the dancing, a five hundred tournament was held, there being over thirty tables of players. Quartermaster-Sergeant Fyvie had charge of this portion of the entertainment. He is particularly anxious that those wishing to take part in the card games shall be in their places at the tables by 8:30.

SECOND ROUND DRAW FOR SCOTTISH CUP

GLASGOW, Jan. 17.—The draw for the second round in the Scottish football cup follows. Games will be played January 27:

Ayr United vs. Rangers.
Peterhead vs. Galston.
Hamilton A. vs. King's Park.
Airdrie vs. Aberdeen.
Dundee Hibs vs. Nithsdale.
Motherwell vs. St. Mirren.
Queen's Park vs. Bathgate.
Celtic vs. Hurlford.
Kilmarnock vs. East Fife.
Hibernians vs. Peebles Rovers.
Johnstone vs. Falkirk.
Vale of Leven vs. Third Lanark.
Raith Rovers vs. Cowdenbeath.
Dunfermline vs. Clydebank or Royal Albert.
Bo'ness vs. Hearts.
Dundee vs. St. Bernard.

Boy Swimmer Wins From Hawaiian Champ

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Jan. 17.—Charlton, the 15-year-old boy swimmer, today defeated Harris, the Hawaiian champion, in the quarter-mile at the New South Wales swimming meet. His time was 5:22 2-5.

Charlton recently made the half mile in 11 minutes and 3-5 seconds.

Maroons Net Final Goal in Overtime to Beat Metropolitans

Professional Puckchasers in Even Struggle With Score One Goal All at End of Full Three Periods—Duncan Scores the Goal Deciding Historical Ice Contest

HOLMES AND LEHMAN ARE KEPT BUSY ALL EVENING

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—Vancouver won a great hockey game tonight when they defeated Seattle 2 to 1 in an overtime contest. Art Duncan, floating in between MacKay and Skinner, turned in the winning counter in 3 minutes and 51 seconds after the start of the overtime period. Time after time the Vancouver goalie was on his ear, his stomach or his back with Seattle men swarming all around him, yet some freak of luck would creep in and save his citadel. Even he was laughing before the evening was over at some of the queer breaks of luck that came his way. The two teams went at it hammer and tongs, giving the local fans the entertainment of a lifetime.

ALBERT DELIDAL

The local Cougar, who will perform with the Victoria club in its contest with the Maroons at the Arena tomorrow night. "Delile" has played good hockey in the amateur league here, and his many admirers will look forward to his work in the professional hockey realm.

Rickey Gets First

It was one continued battle from beginning to end. Rickey broke into the scoring column for the first goal with the game sixteen minutes old. He and Riley and Morris were battling in front of the net, when Morris shot and Roy, pouncing on the rebound, slapped it behind Lehman.

Holmes, who had not been scored on for two games, was going great guns, and that goal looked as a big as a mountain, especially as the one goal advantage lasted all through the second period.

Thirty-six seconds after the third period opened Mickey MacKay bore down on the Seattle defence, skirted Fraser and from within six feet of Holmes, warped in the first goal for Vancouver. They battled that way through the remainder of the period and into overtime before Duncan went through for the winning score, scoring from as close in as did MacKay.

Art Duncan, with his heady checking, MacKay, with numerous bursts of speed, which, however, went for nothing except on that tying goal, and Ernie Parkes, whose stickhandling made him always dangerous, did especially well.

Line-Up

Seattle	Position	Vancouver
Holmes	Goal	Lehman
Rowe	Defence	Cook
Rickey	Defence	Duncan
Foyston	Centre	Denenny
Riley	Forward	MacKay
Morris	Forward	Skinner
Fraser	Utility	Parkes
Walker	Utility	Cotch
Briden	Utility	

Summary

First period—1, Seattle, Rickey, 16:38.

Second period—No score.

Third period—2, Vancouver, MacKay from Skinner, :36.

Overtime period—3, Vancouver, Duncan from MacKay, 3:51.

Penalties

First period—None.

Second period—Riley, 2 minutes; Cook, 2 minutes.

Third period—None.

Overtime period—None.

TIJUANA RACING

TIJUANA, Jan. 17.—The races were well attended here today and among the winners were Cafeteria, Purl, Krewer, Payoff and Summer Sigh, all well-backed favorites. The results follow:

First race, five and half furlongs—1, Prophecy (108); 2, Nonsuit (113); 3, Flame (111).

Second race, five furlongs—1, Yukon, (115); 2, Delancey (16); 3, Phyllis K. (110).

Third race, mile and 70 yards—1, Cafeteria (110); 2, Mrs. Pat (105); 3, Au Revoir (112).

Fourth race, three-quarters of mile—1, Purl (115); 2, Horace Beech (115); 3, It (112).

Fifth race, three-quarters of mile—1, Silk Sox (112); 2, Herder (115); 3, Barriskane (112).

Sixth race, five and half furlongs—1, Krewer (106); 2, Motor Cop (115); 3, Brilliant Ray (99).

Seventh race, five furlongs—1, Payoff (110); 2, Dark Ages (115); 3, Florence Dean (110).

Eighth race, mile and 70 yards—1, Summer Sigh (103); 2, Roistrer (110); 3, Black Betty (104).

Overnight Entries

First race, five-eighths mile—Arizona Duchess, 99; Edna Y., 99; Spring Bonnet, 99; Lola Fluke, 99; Midnight Belle, 99; C. T. S. Girl, 103; Dud One, 103; Bacchus, 103; Smile Again, 106; Trippna, 110; Elmer W., 112; A Jolly Sailor, 115.

Second race, three-quarters of mile—Miss Frauland, 103; Gene Farmer, 113; Rafferty, 113; Poacher, 113; Pretender, 113; Cabin Creek, 113; Lavaga, 116; Vanucka Wells, 116; Benecia, 116; Balsey, 116; Jerry, 118; Billy Joe, 118.

Third race, six furlongs—Malsavena, 108; Sam Hill, 108; Overstep, 108; Nebraska Lad, 110; Virge, 111; Lariat, 113; Philanderer, 113; Railbird, 113; Geo. Muehlbach, 113; Tom Craven, 115; Galway, 118; Trinkot, 118.

Fourth race, mile and eighth—Bessie Young, 105; Obstinate, 108; Dora, 108; High Olympus, 110; Tom Brooks, 110; Old McKenna, 110; Seven Sets, 110; Rhymer, 110; Veteran, 113; Little Gink, 115; Lava, 115; Cork, 115.

Fifth race, mile—Candorosa, 108; Alazon, 108; Kimona, 108; Guy Mac, 110; It, 110; Clara Frances, 113; Mayflower, 113; Dr. Stevenson, 115; Harry Rudder, 115; F. G. Corley, 115; Tutt, 115; Black Pat, 115.

Sixth race, mile, handicap—Sir Leonid, 94; Bowsprit, 95; Lavina, 103; Tassel, 106; Paisley, 107; Zoella J., 107.

Seventh race, six furlongs — Lady Leonid, 87; Marysville, 100; Horinga, 103; May Maulsby, 104; Icon, 106; Private Peat, 107; McGee's Pink, 108; Sample, 109; Molly Barnes, 110; Donnatello, 111; Harrigan's Heir, 113; N. K. Beal, 116.

Eighth race, mile and 70 yards—Louise, 104; By Blight, 108; Black Thong, 108; Vic, 108; Katherine Rankin, 110; Wallace Dant, 112; Judge David, 113; Woodie Montgomery, 115.

Clear; fast.

SOCCER REPLAYS

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Old Country football cup replays today resulted as follows:

Corinthians, 1; Brighton, 1. (Extra time).
Arsenal, 1; Liverpool, 4.
Bradford, 1; Everton, 0.
Leeds, 3; Portsmouth, 1.
Manchester United, 2; Bradford City, 0.
Notts County, 0; Plymouth, 1.
Southampton, 3; Newcastle, 1.
Watford, 2; Cardiff, 2. (Extra time).
Stalybridge, 0; West Bromwich, 2.

Scottish

Royal Albert, 0; Clydebank, 0. (Extra time).
Bathgate, 3; East Stirling, 0.

VANCOUVER ON TOP BY FOUR COUNTERS

P.C.H.A. Standing

	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Pts
Vancouver	19	10	9	48	41	20
Victoria	18	8	7	40	37	16
Seattle	16	8	8	51	38	16

Individual Records

	Goals	Asts.	Pts.	Pen. Min.
Frederickson, Vic.	17	8	25	4
Cook, Vancouver	16	6	22	10
MacKay, Vancouver	17	5	22	10
Foyston, Seattle	14	3	17	0
Riley, Seattle	11	4	15	28
Morris, Seattle	11	2	13	12
Harris, Vancouver	7	5	12	18
Boucher, Vancouver	5	6	11	0
Oatman, Victoria	7	3	10	22
Meeking, Victoria	5	5	10	18
Halderson, Victoria	6	1	7	8
C. Loughlin, Victoria	5	2	7	4
Walker, Seattle	5	4	7	2
Parkes, Vancouver	6	1	7	3
Skinner, Vancouver	6	0	6	11
Duncan, Vancouver	4	2	6	2
Briden, Seattle	2	2	5	24
Fraser, Seattle	3	2	4	16
Denenny, Vancouver	2	2	4	2
Rickey, Seattle	3	1	4	0
Newell, Vancouver	2	1	3	2
W. Loughlin, Victoria	0	2	2	17
Anderson, Victoria	0	1	1	2
McCarthy, Seattle	1	0	1	0
Dunderdale, Victoria	1	0	1	7
Patrick Vancouver	0	1	1	0

COLONIST BOWLERS ARE BACK TO FORM

The Colonist yesterday advanced another step towards the pennant by defeating the United Commercial Travelers by 161 pins. Chislett and Moore were high men for The Colonist, with scores of 526 and 539, and Genge, with 518, for the Travelers.

The following are the scores:

Colonist

Anderton	144	187	159	490
Chislett	172	188	166	526
Morley	181	165	173	519
Moore	166	172	201	539
Griffiths	151	179	153	483
	814	891	852	2557

United Commercial Travelers

Huxtable	167	153	167	487
Hunter	149	154	160	463
Holden	155	191	161	507
Bass	169	120	122	421
Genge	146	144	208	518
	786	792	818	2396

PLAN REGISTRATION OF ALL PUGILISTS

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Creation of a national boxing registration to act as a clearing house for information on professional pugilists and the adoption of a standardized universal code of ring regulations were favored today by delegates attending the third annual convention of the National Boxing Association, which represents boxing commissions in 18 or 21 States and five other countries, including Canada, where the sport is legalized. The association took no action on a suggestion that it seek to prevent the proposed return bout for the world's championship between Jack Dempsey and Jess Willard on the ground that the latter is not a fit opponent for the champion.

The proposed boxing registration bureau as devised and outlined by Tex O'Rourke, secretary, would be conducted under the direction and supervision of the association.

Every professional boxer would be required to register with the bureau, according to Mr. O'Rourke, at a cost not to exceed $2, and would be given an identification card which would serve as a "passport" to engagements anywhere in the countries interested. The plan would include distribution of detailed information on all boxers and weekly bulletins on results of fights.

P. Mulqueen, of Toronto, president of the Canadian Boxing Federation, was one of the speakers at the meeting today.

MAROONS INVADE CITY TOMORROW

Frank Patrick's Pets Will Bring Over Strong Aggregation for Purpose of Defeating Local Crew

COUGARS ARE READY TO HALT VANCOUVER

Victoria Has Trimmed the Maroons Four Times in Six Matches Between These Two Squads This Season

Lloyd Cook's Maroons from the Mainland will arrive in Victoria tomorrow afternoon in preparation for the gruelling fight at the local Arena tomorrow evening. The Cougars, who have been idle for the past seven days, although they have been holding daily practices, will get back into the game and will be out to pick off a victory at the expense of the Vancouver aggregation. Tickets for the game were placed on sale yesterday morning, and there was a good demand for reservations. It is expected that a big crowd of fans will witness the scrap.

Lester Patrick realizes that the blue and gold sextette will have to play hard to down the Mainlanders in the coming contest. Brother Frank's boys have been making a good showing lately, and with a full roster of men in fine condition, the Maroons can be expected to travel at full speed for sixty minutes. The Cougars, however, feel equal to the occasion, and will be right there to settle an argument of long-standing with their opponents from across the Gulf of Georgia.

Cougars Have Had the Edge

The Cougars and Maroons have hooked up in six hockey encounters this season, all of which have produced some great play and effective stickhandling. Victoria has won four of these games, the Mainlanders having succeeded in winning two of the six matches by the odd goal. The last two contests between these two squads were picked up by Lester Patrick's hopefuls, who are just as determined as ever to sail right through to the top of the league and gain for the Capital City a hockey championship this year. That is what the Victoria fans want to see, anyway.

The blue and gold men will put up a strong bid for success tomorrow night. Fowler, in goal; Slim Halderson and Clem Loughlin, in front of him, will constitute a defence that the Maroons will likely find very difficult to penetrate successfully. Frederickson will start in centre, with Harry Meeking and Captain Eddie Oatman in the other forward positions.

Delidal Will Perform

Albert Delidal, the boy who starred in the local amateur league and is now a member of the Victoria Cougars, will be among the men who will perform against Vancouver tomorrow night. Delile is very popular here, and the announcement that he will appear in tomorrow night's battle will be received with interest among his large following of admirers. Jocko Anderson, former Calgary player, has been going good lately, and he will have the opportunity to "shine" for the railbirds' entertainment tomorrow.

Frank Frederickson has been having a little trouble with his ear, Harry Meeking having taken a crack at him accidentally during a recent practice. Freddie had to consult Dr. Keys, who has operated on his ear, and says that Freddie will not be able to take the ice before tomorrow night. Frank believes that he will be ready to go after more points and he is very anxious to see the Cougars grab the pennant this year. Lloyd Cook's gang is primed for a fight tomorrow, so the battle should be a tough one at that.

TABLE TENNIS

Ladies' Handicap Tournament Is Arranged for Saturday Next on American Plan

A ladies' handicap "American" tournament has been arranged to take place at the clubrooms of the Table Tennis Club, 209 Pemberton Building, at 3 p.m., Saturday, January 20.

All members have been handicapped according to their ability to handle the celluloid sphere, and it is hoped that all the lady players will grace the occasion by being present and prepared to play off their respective matches.

The gentlemen members will have a chance to show their ability in a like manner, probably some evening next week.

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PACIFICS THE CLASS OF AMATEUR HOCKEY

Senior League Game Easily Best of Three Played at Arena Last Night—Colonists Overwhelm the Eagles With Score of Seven to Nothing—Weilers Win From the Bays

Losers Score But One Goal Among Them All

Pacifics, 3; Shells, 1
Colonist, 7; Eagles 0.
Weiler's, 1; Hudson's Bays, 0

SUCH was the result of the three amateur hockey games played at the Arena last night. The three winning teams scored altogether a total of 11 goals, while the best the losers could do was one lonesome tally. The crowd was small but enthusiastic, particularly in connection with the Pacific-Shell contest, which was a struggle from start to finish, and easily the best of the three games.

Pacifics Have Edge

The deep sea representatives must have found an old bottle of peptic fluid, for in each one of the three periods they out-skated the yellow sweatered gladiators who recently trimmed the wings of the best amateurs Seattle could send to the Garden City. It looked up to the end of the second period as if the Shells were going to be forced not only to take the short end of the score, but to have it shampooed well in by being shutout, but Edwards batted a rolling puck, sent to him by Temple, past Stewart for their only count five minutes from the start of the final period.

Pacifics almost skated rings around the gasoline brood, and besides had the edge on team play. George, who subbed on the wings, turned in a high average for effectiveness and delivered about his best game of the season. Tuckwell was also very effective, and the two other defence men, Wickson, on the line, and Stewart, in goal, were on their toes every second.

Set Fast Pace

The speed of the Pacifics and their strenuous back-checking seemed to take the heart out of their opponents, and the Shells never seemed to hit their stride. Their combination rushes were smashed before they got started and their individual rushes were hedged off out of the danger zone into one of the corners. Edwards, the snappy Shell centre, was way below his customary form, and played such an open game that he was robbed of the rubber times without number. The contest went to prove that water is stronger than oil, scientific statistics to the contrary.

Neither team was able to score in the opening period, but Pacifics had considerably the advantage of the exchanges. They showed more speed and better system, and their boring-in tactics were bound to bring results if persisted in. And they were. The second period was but a few minutes old when Miller diverted an assistant from Tuckwell past Straith for the first tally. Shortly afterwards Wickson beat the coal oil custodian for the second count when he batted the disc into the net from a scrim immediately in front of the goal. Tuckwell was fifty-fifty responsible for the third goal when he slipped a pretty pass to Hewer and the latter did the necessary. Shells commenced to look as if the ocean representatives were making them a bit seasick. Period ended score 3 to 0.

Five minutes from the start of the final frame, Edwards happened to be in the right place at the right time and intercepted a wall-timed pass from Temple. The disc was rolling and he played a brassie, holing out in one. Shells were outplayed pretty well for the balance of the period, and only good work on the part of Straith and his two defence line men saved the score from mounting. English, defence, and Rip McDonald, sub. forward, starred for the Shells. They gave all they had, and, if their team-mates had given as much, the result very probably would have been different.

Eagles Are Kleagled

Kleagling the horned-billed shinpad supporters was pie for The Colonist representatives. Seven goals to none, and if there had been any more lying around loose they probably would have been pitched into the Kleagle net too. At that, the game was not so very one-sided. Gravelin, watching for the feather tribe, evidently had something on his mind, and the rubber flaw past him at frequent and irregular intervals in consequence. Glazon tipped the rubber in for the first counter in the opening stanza, and the period finished with neither team scoring again. Newsie supporters hollered three times in the second session when Wickett, Mowatt and Glazon scored in the order named, and three more mixed yells of joy and commiseration sounded in the final quarter hour. Wickett, lanky defence man for the Colonist, played a whale of a game, and so also did Stewart. Both these boys have an abundance of speed and skill in dodging and stickhandling, and if they keep at the game, are billed for the big tent.

Weilers and Bays

Veteran Cook nicked the only goal scored in the Weiler-Bay competition when he slipped a fast one past Richardson from the left boards about twenty feet out. Play, if anything, favored the Bays, and from their showing in the first period many of the spectators picked them to win. They played hard and produced a bit more speed than their opponents, but they showed very little organization when their attacks reached Weilers' goal ice, and the Campbell-Cook combination had little difficulty in blocking them. Their method of substitution probably is largely responsible, as the forward players are not trained for any particular position and are put on the ice on either wings or centre if a player looks as if he wants a rest. Ackroyd turned in the best game of any player on either team.

The Line-ups

First Game

Shells	Position	Pacifics
Straith	Goal	Stewart
Copas	Defence	Wickson
English	Defence	Tuckwell
Temple	Forwards	Miller
Matthews	Forwards	Goodacre
Edwards	Forwards	Hewer
McDonald	Substitutes	Smith
Desbrisay	Substitutes	George
———	Substitutes	Wright

Second Game

Colonist	Position	Eagles
Watson	Goal	Gravelin
Woodhouse	Defence	McGibbon
Wickett	Defence	Redroit
Stewart	Forwards	Fitzsimmons
Pinchback	Forwards	Crowley
Quirie	Forwards	McDonald
Mowatt	Substitutes	Bond
Glazen	Substitutes	Pinchback
Alexander	Substitutes	Burnett

Third Game

Wellers	Position	Bays
Campbell	Goal	Richardson
Cook	Defence	Lumsden
Miller	Defence	Wann
King	Forwards	Smith
Wynn	Forwards	Ford
Ackroyd	Forwards	Jackelin
Locke	Substitutes	Simpson
Bradford	Substitutes	Kannedy
Wingert	Substitutes	Waula

Referee, Clem Loughlin.

FERNWOOD BOYS WIN

The lads of the Fernwood and Vining Street districts had a hockey struggle on roller skates yesterday, the Fernwoods winning by four to nothing. Foubister, McLernan, Sivarts, Hall, Dunsmore and Luscombe played for Fernwood and Ferris, Cummings, Ball, Todd, Morton and Coulter for Vining Street.

SCHAEFER WINS OUT

ROCKFORD, Ill., Jan. 15.—Jake Schaefer, former 18.2 balkline billiard champion, defeated Kinray Matsuyama, Japanese expert, 500 to 225, in an exhibition match here today. Schaefer averaged 35 3-5, and Matsuyama 15 1-5. In the first block Schaefer went out in four innings for an average of 62 1-2.

SPORTING NEWS

COWICHAN GOLF CLUB CONVENES CABARET

Vivacious Entertainment Enjoyed by Many Guests Who Admired Clever Actors

DUNCAN, Jan. 17.—A gay crowd thronged the Agricultural Hall last evening at the cabaret given under the auspices of the Cowichan Golf Club. That it was a signal success was apparent, as the turns went off with a wonderful swing, increasing in popularity as the event wore on, the finale, "Band of Brothers," bringing down the house.

Mrs. Innes Noad convened the programme and she was most ably assisted by Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Rochfort and others. During the evening General Gartside Spaight, captain of the Cowichan Golf Club, presented Mrs. Innes Noad with a beautiful bouquet of chrysanthemums, as a token of appreciation for her efforts, and all joined in singing with much vim, "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow."

The hall was most prettily decorated in navy blue and orange streamers and balloons. From the big centre light balloons were suspended and streamers swung out to the four sides of the room. The stage made a pretty setting, and the swing, which was featured in one of the turns, was suspended by a rope of flowers. Mrs. E. A. Easton convened the committee in charge of the decorations and was ably assisted by Miss Kathleen Whittome, Mr. and Mrs. Hope, Mr. E. A. Easton, Captain E. G. Williams and Mr. Tyson.

Prettily Decorated Tables

The tables were decorated with sprigs of peach blossoms, cleverly designed and carried out by Mrs. Share, who with Mr. Share was in charge of the table arrangements.

The "turns," of which there were five, opened with "Old-Fashioned Girl." Miss Sylvia Kennington, as the leading role, made an exquisite picture in her lovely old-fashioned gown, and with her Mr. J. B. Acland took the part of the leading man, and the Misses Tutu Innes Noad, E. Gerrard, I. Sherman, M. Tombs, K. Kennington and N. Smyly formed the chorus.

Mrs. William Rochfort captivated everyone by her grace and singing of "What Do You Want to Make Those Eyes at Me For?" "Don't You Want a Paper, Dearie?" was a popular number. Mrs. Stuart and Mr. J. C. E. Henslowe played the major parts, and the chorus, composed of Mrs. Swan, the Misses K. Kennington, N. Smyly, S. Kennington, A. Strouiger, J. Wilson, M. Payne and Tutu Innes Noad, were costumed as newsboys. The "Swing Song" was quite one of the prettiest numbers on the programme, and here again Mrs. Rochfort was welcomed with Mr. Myles Ellimen in the leading parts, with chorus, Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Swan, the Misses F. Butt, A. Strouiger, N. Smyly, A. Scott, G. M. Stephens, S. Kennington, D. Savage and M. Waldy. The flower basket costumes worn by the chorus girls were exceptionally beautiful and effective. The last turn, "Band of Brothers," with chorus composed of Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Swan, Misses A. Strouiger, M. Payne, W. Wilson, Tutu Innes Noad and N. Smyly, was the hit of the evening, the cast wearing jazz pierrot costumes and high red hats.

The Supper

Supper was served, which was convened by Mrs. C. H. Dickie, Mrs. K. F. Duncan and Mrs. Fry. The waitresses wore white, with novel black and white checked aprons and hair bandeau. They were Mrs. H. W. Dickie, Mrs. W. B. Powel, Mrs. E. A. Price, the Misses K. Powel, V. Stilwell, N. Blythe, M. Dove, Miss K. Robertson and Mrs. V. H. Wilson and Miss Violet Hayward. Misses A. Scott, J. Florence, M. Burchett and Joy Bains sold sweets, cigarettes and balloons. Mr. C. W. O'Neil, secretary of the Golf Club, was untiring in his efforts and did much for the success of the function.

Heaton's orchestra, in the best of form, supplied excellent music. Miss Madeline Payne kindly supplied the supper extras.

The cabaret was very well attended, and many guests from Victoria were present.

Hamilton Tigers Win From the St. Patricks; Fist Fight Follows

TORONTO, Jan. 17.—Outplaying St. Patrick's here tonight in all departments, the Hamilton Tigers defeated the world's champions, 5-2, in a National Hockey League fixture.

Ill-feeling cropped up toward the end. Immediately the game was over, Randall rushed at Bouchard, knocking the Hamiltonian down with his fists, and so injuring him that he had to be carried off the ice.

Forbes played the most brilliant game of his career in the Hamilton net, while at the other end Roach was below his usual form.

Canadiens Win

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—The Canadiens went into a tie with Hamilton for second place in the National Hockey League here tonight by defeating the Ottawa Senators 2-1. Ottawa now has a lead of only one point. The winners outplayed their opponents at all styles of hockey, and had command throughout the three periods.

FOOTBALL MEETING

A meeting of the delegates of the Victoria and District Wednesday Football League will be held in the Veterans of France clubrooms tonight at 8 o'clock. All delegates are requested to attend.

FORM BOXING CLASS AT VICTORIA COLLEGE

Several Students Show Promising Form Under Instruction by Former Dominion Champ

After a good deal of hesitation on the part of the students of the Victoria College, they have at last decided to take advantage of instruction in boxing by Professor Elliot, who, during his period of active athletics while in university was a champion of the Dominion in 'varsity circles. The young hopefuls turned out yesterday, about thirty strong, and after receiving instructions in several punches and guarding tactics, were paired off to practice what they had learned.

When some time had elapsed in sparring with one another like a number of slow motion figures from the movie screen, they were given the gloves and allowed to demonstrate their ability or inability at the manly art of self-defence. It was a strange sight. In several of the bouts the young gentlemen settled down to a slugging match for several minutes before they realized that they had set for themselves a greater pace than they could continue. This necessitated a change in tactics, and many and varied were the forms of ring strategy utilized.

Some of the men were decidedly promising with the gloves, however, and waded through the three or four minutes set for them with a fair amount of success. Those who had taken instruction at previous times were allowed to fight first, and the others gathered pointers from them. Undoubtedly there are several men among the students who are good men for the ring, and all of them, including the less hopeful, are getting the very best of training, and learning how to take a licking in a true British manner.

The class is a big one, and the men are sure to stick with it. Later in the year there will probably be a competition, and with this in view the eagerness and spirit of the young pugilists increases. It is not intended to fit any of the men for a life work in this art, nor would any such enterprise be profitable or successful, it appears.

SAANICHTON TEAMS WIN AT BASKETBALL

Defeat Keating Representatives in Two Exhibition Games at West Road Hall

KEATING, Jan. 16.—A basketball game was staged in the West Road Hall on Monday evening, this being the first exhibition game played there for some weeks. Two teams from the Saanichton Athletic Association played, the A team contesting with the West Road seniors and the B team playing against a junior team from Keating. Both games were extremely interesting, but the Saanichton teams carried off the honors with a large margin in each case.

The score for the senior game was 43-18 while that of the junior teams stood at 37-17.

The line-up: Saanichton—E. Buckle, M. Lannon, Geo. Lannon, R. Crawford, W. McNally. West Road—Tommy Peden, Lorne Thomson, Cliff Renouf, Arthur Petch, Morley Tubman.

The junior teams played four men to a side, these being as follows: Keating—Maurice Tubman, Alfred Styen, C. Hamilton, D. Hamilton. Saanichton — Dell, Stewart, Jack Brooks, P. Turgoose, W. Turgoose.

Saskatoon Crescents Too Much for Tigers

CALGARY, Jan. 17.—After scoring three goals in the first four minutes and apparently having the game tucked away, the Calgary Tigers faded under the strong pressure of Newsy Lalonde and his Saskatoon Crescents tonight and were forced to accept defeat 5-4, after seven minutes' overtime.

WINNIPEG HOCKEY

WINNIPEG, Jan. 17.—Tammany Tigers, of Winnipeg, and Portage la Prairie were victors in two Winnipeg Hockey League games played tonight.

Portage won its second game of the season, defeating the University of Manitoba on home ice, 8 to 5. The Tigers maintained their unbeaten record, defeating Victorias 11 to 2.

LEFT NOTE WITH PLANS FOR SUICIDE

Police Drag Inlet According to Directions, But Fail to Find Body of Former Scoutmaster

VANCOUVER, Jan. 17.—Leaving explicit instructions where to look for his body and how to dispose of his effects, J. E. Jackson, alias J. Watson, disappeared from his room in the Barron Hotel here Tuesday. When his room was opened today a note was found directing that police drag a certain section of Burrard Inlet for his body and promising that a small white flag would be affixed to the body to facilitate search. Registered as Watson, the missing man wrote that his real name was Jackson, that he was formerly scoutmaster of No. 2 Boy Scout troop in Edmonton, and that his homestead and personal effects in Northern Alberta were bequeathed to his brother, a farmer of the same district. Local police have communicated with Edmonton for information. They have found no trace of the man's body in Burrard Inlet so far.

COST OF LIVING IN BRITAIN DROPS

Down Two Points in December, But Seventy-Eight Per Cent Higher Than Before War

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The cost of living in Great Britain in December was down two points as compared with the previous month's figures. This left it at seventy-eight per cent above the cost in July, 1914. At the beginning of last year the cost was ninety-two per cent above that of July, 1914.

MR. COWPER LEAVES CEMETERY BOARD

Is Succeeded by Mr. E. W. Bradley—Accounts Declared by Auditors to Be in Good Shape

The resignation of Mr. Hector S. Cowper as secretary-treasurer of the Inter-Municipal Cemetery Board, was accepted last night by the Board, and Mr. E. W. Bradley was appointed to serve as his successor temporarily.

Mayor Hayward, chairman of the Board, stated that the funds of the organization were intact, according to a verbal report made by Ismay, Bolston & Company, city auditors. Mr. Cowper handled about $35,000 in bonds and cash during his term of office, and the accounts were found to be in proper shape.

The construction work in connection with the new cemetery has been held up by the wet weather, but will be proceeded with at the first opportunity. It is the intention of the Board to connect the water mains serving the cemetery with the Oak Bay system, and six-inch pipes will be installed shortly.

ASK INVESTIGATION OF ALASKAN WRECK

Canadian Legion Believes Powerful Lifesaving Vessels Should Be Placed on West Coast

The Canadian Legion, at its meeting last night, adopted a resolution asking the Government to institute an inquiry into the wreck of the Alaskan, by which the lives of the crew of eleven were lost. Letters of condolence will be forwarded to the families of the ex-service men who were lost in the mishap, the skipper of the Alaskan, Captain Baillies, having been a member of the Legion.

The Legion also went on record as approving the suggestion made by Mr. A. W. Neil, M.P., for Comox-Alberni, that powerful life-saving vessels be placed on the West Coast in order that assistance might be rendered those in distress on the sea.

FARM MARKETING TO GET IMPETUS

Sapiro Plans Will Form Basis of Discussion at Greater Victoria Conference Today

Promotion of a general co-operative marketing of farm produce on Vancouver Island will be given impetus this afternoon at a special meeting called by the Greater Victoria Committee executive to be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms commencing at 3 o'clock.

The plan of organization, it is stated, will be along the lines outlined in The Colonist of last Sunday by Mr. Aaron Sapiro, the noted expert in farm co-operative movements, who has been touring the Okanagan district enlisting the fruitgrowers in a new movement to improve marketing conditions.

Several organizations yesterday announced the personnel of the delegations which they will send to the conference. The Chamber of Commerce will be representtd by Messrs. Gordon Jameson, Thomas Walker and F. A. Pauline. The Agricultural Development Group of the chamber will be represented by Chairman James A. Griffiths and Messrs. B. R. Ker, R. Strachan, H. C. Hall, K. C., and Mr. C. E. Whitney-Griffiths will attend as the delegate of the Farmers' Institutes.

Gives No Assurance on Kamloops-Kelowna Line

Sir Henry Thornton Tells Civic Delegation He Will Take Matter Under Advisement

KAMLOOPS, Jan. 17.—Sir Henry Thornton told a civic delegation which greeted him here tonight, that he was not in a position to give any decision on the completion by the Canadian National Railway of its Kamloops-Kelowna branch line. He would, however, take the matter under advisement.

Tug Loses Schooner After Battling Gale

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 17.—The tug Oneonta returned to port tonight without the schooner Vigilant which she took in tow off the mouth of the river on Monday. The tug reported that she had been beaten about outside in a terrific gale for nearly two days with the schooner in tow, and been carried some distance north. This morning, when off Gray's Harbor the hawser parted and as the tug was unable to pick up the schooner again she came in without her. The Vigilant was well off shore, not damaged by the gale, so she was believed to be no way in danger.

Labor Fares Badly in Municipal Elections

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Labor fared badly in the Belfast municipal elections. The council contained thirteen members of the Labor party, but following the withdrawal of proportional representation, only six were nominated, and but one was returned.

Lord Mayor Coates, official Unionist candidate for re-election in Belfast, was defeated by Dr. Williamson, Independent Unionist.

CONDITIONS UNDER BUSINESS REVIEW

Bank of Toronto President and General Manager Give Timely Warning

The report for the past year submitted at the 67th annual meeting of the Bank of Toronto showed the financial position of this long-established institution to be in its usual sound condition. The profits were well maintained, being $878,762, equal to 17.57 per cent on the paid-up capital. Deposits, at $73,678,757, were lower, principally owing to a reduction of some four million in Dominion and provincial government deposits, the bank's deposits from the public having reduced only 1.93 per cent, as against a decrease of 5.81 per cent in the public deposits of all banks in Canada during the same period. Circulation, at $6,895,173, was $452,125 higher, largely owing to heavy crop movements in October and November. Loans stood at $49,550,374, a reduction of $4,249,124, compared with a decrease for all the banks of $104,479,456, and bank premises, $3,474,927, showed a writing down of $92,167 for the year.

The president, in his address, pointed out that although our foreign trade, which aggregatad $1,625,000,000, was less in amount than for the previous year, it showed a favorable trade balance of $121,000,000. Speaking of the indebtedness of the country, which, Federal, provincial and municipal, aggregated nearly four billion dollars, he said: "There is imperative need of the closest scrutiny of all projects involving an increase of indebtedness on the part of municipalities, provincial and Dominion governments. There is always the plea that expenditure of money helps to benefit temporarily the public, but we have had experience in the past that this slight benefit can be too dearly purchased. During the era of competitive railway building in this country some years ago, we had large expenditures which created, at the time, apparent prosperity, but we are now bearing heavy burdens as a result of these expenditures, and the deficits arising from these enterprises are adding to our yearly burdens. We do not want a repetition of this mistaken policy, and should postpone our expenditure until we are in a position to do it with safety, which we cannot do at present."

Referring to the Bank Act, he said: "The usual decennial revision of the Bank Act is due this year and may be taken up at the forthcoming session of Parliament.

"During the past ten years economic conditions in Canada have passed through many sudden and severe changes. The unprecedented strain upon the resources of the country, and the heavy responsibilities imposed upon the banks on account of the war and its financing, subjected our banking system to a severe trial, and we can confidently say it successfully stood the test.

"The action of the banks in so fully meeting all the demands made upon them in a very trying time should never be forgotten, and should be kept in remembrance when the Bank Act is being brought under review."

The general manager, in closing his address, said: "The coming revision of bank charters is probably the outstanding question before us this year. It is to be hoped that any revision of the act will be constructive and calculated to assist, and not to hamper our work. New banking capital should be encouraged. We have a highly productive country, the balance of trade is running substantially on the right side, and notwithstanding all factors to the contrary, we are looking forward to a year of quiet improvement in business."

An Instructive Survey

In presenting the yearly report to the shareholders at the annual meeting of the Bank of Toronto, reference was made to the strong financial position of the bank and to many features of the financial and economic conditions of the past year.

The bank's profits were $878,762, slightly less than for the previous year, but a very satisfactory showing, and, as stated by the general manager, "During these times we must expect somewhat reduced earnings in banking as well as in other lines of business." The bank's position in their holdings of cash and readily convertible assets, which amounted to $40,752,532, was stronger than for the previous year, being at the rate of 49.46 per cent on all liabilities to the public, compared with 47.42 a year ago.

Loans and investments were lower, the total being $71,830,646, as against $73,120,708 last year, and the president referring to these stated: "We have, we believe, made very ample provisions for any loans about which there is doubt, and the valuation of our securities has been made on a very conservative basis."

In considering bank figures we must bear in mind the large and rapid increases of the past few years. The bank's assets increased 76 per cent in five years and have since reached only 14 per cent.

Attention was drawn to the increasing indebtedness of the country: "The total debt, Federal, provincial and municipal, is estimated at nearly four billion dollars, the interest on which represents an average payment of $100 per capita, or an equivalent of $500 per family. The overhead charges on this vast amount of indebtedness places a heavy burden on all business, lessen profits and eat up the margin between cost of production and market value, and the fact that no member of the community can escape bearing a share of this burden should be impressed upon our people, as they are indirectly, if not directly, being made to bear a heavier burden than ever before."

Dealing with business conditions, Mr. Gooderham stated: "Unemployment has lessened, business has slowly been improving, and there is hopeful expectation that this improvement may continue, and that we will have at least a moderate advance forward throughout the coming year."

A Note of Warning

A serious note of warning is sounded in the annual address of Mr. W. G. Gooderham, president of the Bank of Toronto, in dealing with the growth of public indebtedness in Canada.

The president points out that in eight years the Dominion debt has increased eight times; provincial indebtedness has doubled, while that of municipalities now ranges from two to three times what it stood at eight years ago.

Dominion superannuation is bringing in a revenue of thirty-five million dollars per month, while the national debt increased $42,000,000 between November 1, 1921, and November 1, 1922.

The combined indebtedness of Canada — national, provincial and municipal—now approximates four billion dollars, and the annual interest thereon equals $100 for each person in Canada, or $500 for a family of five.

Public indebtedness requiring such enormous sums in taxation to meet interest charges falls heavily upon individuals and is a serious overhead burden on business, frequently wiping out the narrow margin of profit. No one can escape these taxation charges and whether they are paid direct to the tax collector or in increased prices on goods, or rents, or services, every individual must meet them.

Mr. Gooderham very pointedly urges that "there is imperative need of the closest scrutiny of all projects involving an increase of indebtedness on the part of municipalities and provincial or Dominion governments."

He points out the fallacy of the temporary prosperity which public expenditures are supposed to create, as these in the end only add to the general burden, the era of competitive railway building some years ago being a case in point. The deficits now arising from the operation of these roads, together with fixed charges on the original cost, now adding to our annual burden of taxation.

The statement presented at the meeting showed the bank to be in a very strong position. Cash and other quick assets held, amounting to $40,752,532, equal to 49.46 per cent on liabilities to the public. The profits for the year, $878,762, and the amount forward from the previous year, after making usual appropriations, including 12 per cent dividends to the shareholders, left the substantial balance to be carried forward in profit and loss of $1,061,241, which, with rest account of $6,000,000, provides a surplus of $7,061,241, with paid-up capital of $5,000,000.

The impression appears to exist in some quarters that banks make big profits, our large reserves being referred to as evidence of this. The fact is overlooked that a substantial part of these reserves, in your case approximately 60 per cent, has been paid in by shareholders in cash. The dividend which you receive is only 7.44 per cent on the cash actually paid in, and only 5 per cent of the amount of the shareholders' money represented by capital and reserves. This is surely not excessive for an unsecured investment, and is modest in comparison with the disbursements of established and well conducted enterprises in other lines of business.

EDMONTON UP AGAIN

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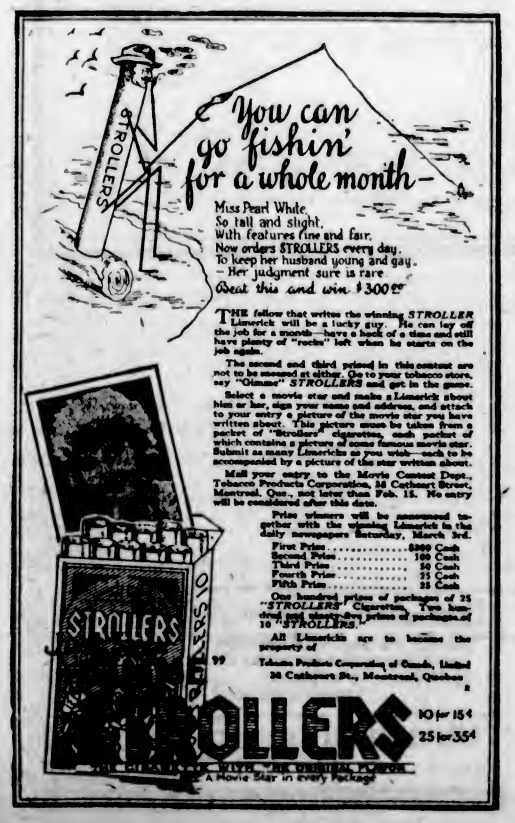

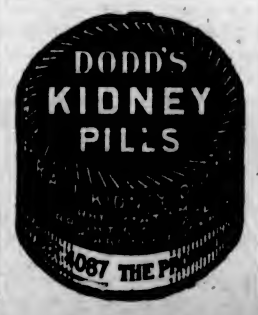

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CUMBERLAND NAMES CIVIC COMMITTEES

Number Five Mine Has Permanently Closed Down—Men Transferred to Number Four

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 16.—The Mayor and the new Council were sworn in on Monday evening by City Clerk Mordy. The position of city clerk is now vacant, the city requiring the services of a full-time man.

The committees appointed are as follows:

Finance committee—Mr. A. Maxwell (chairman), Mr. T. H. Mumford, Mr. F. Partridge.

Board of works—Mr. J. J. Potter (chairman), Mr. F. Dallas, Mr. A. Maxwell.

Light committee—Mr. T. H. Mumford (chairman), Mr. F. Partridge, Mr. J. J. Potter.

Water committee—Mr. F. Dallas (chairman), Mr. J. Ledingham, Mr. H. T. Mumford.

Health committee—Mr. J. Ledingham (chairman), Mr. J. J. Potter, Mr. A. Maxwell.

Fire wardens—Mr. F. Partridge (chairman), Mr. F. Dallas, Mr. J. Ledingham.

Parent-Teachers Meet

The monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers was held in the public school on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. J. Kyle, of the Department of Education, Victoria, who was expected to give an address on manual training, was unable to attend. In place of this, Rev. W. Leversedge gave a full report on the progress made by the committee, the cost of manual training and other things. The report was very favorable, showing considerable progress. The question of frames for the eighteen war pictures donated annually to the schools was dealt with. The teachers are agreeing to give $20 for the framing of the pictures. Collections will be made in each room of the school. A motion was made that the Parent-Teachers will give half the remaining sum, providing the School Board will give the other half.

Closing Number Five

Number five mine of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Ltd., was closed down permanently on Saturday. All the machinery having been taken out, most of the men have been taken on at number four mine.

Women's Auxiliary

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Holy Trinity Church took place on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the Anglican Church Hall. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. G. J. Richardson; vice-president, Mrs. W. Leversedge; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. Cameron; sewing committee, Mrs. E. Picard. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. G. J. Richardson's home the first Monday in February.

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LANTERN LECTURE ON THE LAKE DISTRICT

Interesting Address on England's Scenic Region Given at Qualicum Beach by Mr. C. J. Barthorpe

QUALICUM BEACH, Jan. 16.—A very interesting lantern lecture was given in the Union Church on Monday evening last, the lecturer being Mr. C. J. Barthorpe, of Qualicum Beach. Mr. Barthorpe divided his programme into two parts, the first part being a series of beautiful slides taken around Ullswater, in the English Lake district. The lecturer described each view as it was thrown on the screen, interspersing his descriptions with amusing anecdotes and interesting experiences. He showed where Wordsworth wrote his beautiful poem, "Daffodils," also the "Falls of Lodore," which Southey has immortalized.

The Rev. J. W. Dobbin recited the two poems during the evening. Mr. Barthorpe compared Cameron Lake, on Vancouver Island, to Lake Ullswater, it being, he considered, one of the most beautiful lakes in British Columbia.

The second part of the lecture was a series of pictures on the Boy Scouts. This appealed strongly to the younger members of the audience. The slides were excellent and gave one an eye-opener as to the splendid work the Boy Scouts do all over the world. The photographs were all taken by Mr. Barthorpe, and the slides made by him.

The lecture was extremely interesting and very enjoyable.

Mr. H. J. C. Poore proposed a vote of thanks to the lecturer, which was very heartily given. The meeting closed with the Doxology.

HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Anglican Church Gathering at Ganges Harbor Elects Officers for the Year

GANGES HARBOR, Jan. 16.—The annual Anglican Church meeting was held last Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the I.O.D.E. room, Ganges. The Rev. A. W. Collins presided, and there was a large attendance. It was gratifying for those present to learn that all the assessments had been met, and the large debt entirely wiped out; for this debt a special subscription fund of $637.45 was raised, St. Mark's Church sending $133.95; St. Paul's, Ganges, $303.50, and St. Mary's, Fulford Harbor, $200. There was also $50 raised by the carol singers and passed over to Mr. Collins to be used as seemed most necessary.

For St. Mark's Church, Mr. W. E. Scott was elected vicar's warden, and Mr. T. F. Speed, people's warden.

For St. Paul's Mr. E. Walter, vicar's warden, and Mr. Stewart Holmes, people's warden.

For St. Mary's, Mr. J. Shaw, vicar's warden, and Mr. Harold Price, people's warden.

The committee for all the Island was as follows: Mrs. C. Baker, Mrs. Young, Col. Bryant, Capt. Alan-Williams, Messrs. H. W. Bullock, A. R. Bittancourt, F. Stacey, J. Akerman, C. Gardner, Cotsford.

Delegates to the synod: Messrs. E. Walter and C. Abbott.

SOOKE FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETING

Election of Officers Followed by Interesting Discussion on Matters Affecting Industry

SOOKE, Jan. 16.—The annual meeting of the Sooke Farmers' Institute was held in Sooke Hall on Monday evening, the 15th inst. Mr. A. P. Rayment, the president, was in the chair, and Mr. A. Kohout gave the secretary-treasurers' report.

Mr. Rayment did not wish to stand for president again, and the following were elected to act on the executive: Rev. S. Lundie, Messrs. A. N. McNamara, A. Kohout, A. H. Dobson and W. Clay.

After the election of officers there was considerable discussion as to what could be done to make the Farmers' Institute more useful to the district. Several members made suggestions, and more made criticisms, and it is left to the new executive to provide a progressive programme of work for the new year.

Mr. A. Campbell gave a very interesting talk on the growing of alfalfa, describing his method of scarifying the seed and inoculating by means of soil from a patch of sweet clover. In this way Mr. Campbell had had one good crop off his patch last Summer which he had previously sown in May.

After the meeting adjourned the executive met and elected Rev. S. Lundie, president; A. N. McNamara, vice-president; with A. Kohout as secretary. Mr. Kohout has made a most active and indefatigable secretary for several years now and wished to resign this year, but was persuaded to carry on once more.

Under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute a moving picture film lecture on "Sheep, Swine and Poultry" will be given in the Sooke Hall on Monday evening, January 22, commencing at 7:30. These lectures are being arranged by the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. After the lecture a general discussion on local problems will take place. Refreshments will be served.

METCHOSIN SEEKING ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

Minister of Public Works Gives Delegation Assurance of His Full Consideration

METCHOSIN, Jan. 17.—A delegation consisting of the executive of the Metchosin Farmers' Institute waited on the Hon. Dr. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, yesterday morning to lay before him the urgent need in regard to road matters in the district at the present moment.

The main points were the necessity of ditching and draining, and it was requested that the unemployed be absorbed in the district for this work and also in the paving of the section of road from Colwood Hotel to the Happy Valley Road Junction.

The patrol system at present in operation has been very successful, and it was asked that the number of patrols be raised from four to six.

The Minister asked for more details, and pointed out that the policy of his Department was to attend first to the roads that were most used in getting the farmers' produce to the market, and also that schemes were at present under consideration for the better draining of roads.

The delegation appears to be satisfied that the Minister intends to assist materially in the work asked for.

All Fat People Should Know This

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NORTH SAANICH WOMEN IN ANNUAL MEETING

Institute Holds Session in Wesley Hall, Receives Reports and Elects New Officers

SIDNEY, Jan. 17.—The annual meeting of the North Saanich Women's Institute was held in the Wesley Hall yesterday afternoon, when there was a good attendance of members.

Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, from the Department of Agriculture, was present. Mrs. W. D. Todd, of Victoria, was also present, and on the invitation of the president, Mrs. Veitch, occupied the chair.

The treasurer, Mrs. Philip, read the audited report, which showed a bank balance of $225.05, part of which is in trust for the War Memorial Park.

The reports from the various conveners of committees were then called for and Mrs. MacLachlan read two model reports, one on home economics and another on industries. Mrs. Deacon presented the report on agriculture. Mrs. Speedie read the report of the work done for the year by the Institute.

The election of the board of directors was then proceeded with, ten ladies being named, but fine declining nomination. Mrs. W. Veitch, Mrs. F. Philp, Mrs. J. Ramsay, Mrs. J. Matthews and Mrs. W. Patchell were then elected by acclamation. The directors then retired and elected officers as follows: President, Mrs. Veitch; vice-president, Mrs. Philp; second vice-president, Mrs. Matthews; secretary, Mrs. Ramsay, and treasurer, Mrs. Patchell.

Mrs. Todd spoke briefly on the subject of the women's exchange in the Hudson's Bay Store, and invited the members of the institute to make use of the Victoria institute rooms in the Surrey block.

A vote of thanks to the retiring directors was passed, and also to Mrs. MacLachlan and Mrs. Todd. Mrs. Veitch thanked the institute for their support during the year.

After the business was concluded tea was served by the retiring directors, during which Mrs. Todd sang two songs very acceptably.

LADYSMITH COUNCIL

New Board Holds Its Initial Meeting —News Notes of the Up-Island City

LADYSMITH, Jan. 17.—The first meeting of the recently elected council board was held on Monday evening with all the members present and Mayor Walkem in the chair. His Worship took occasion to congratulate the board on their election and expressed the hope that although the former ward arrangement had been abolished all would work together for the advancement of the welfare of the city. His Worship then read over the offices and the names of the members he had selected for the different committees as follows: Finance committee: James Strang, chairman, and Samuel Jones; electric light committee and fire wardens, Samuel Jones and James Strang; streets and sewer committee, J. Atkinson and H. Wright; cemetery and health, the whole council with W. Anderson as chairman. The various members expressed their pleasure with the appointments and promised to do all in their power to work for the best interest of the city. Nothing in the way of business was undertaken at this meeting.

A young man named Morgan had the misfortune to receive a double fracture of one of his legs at the mines last Saturday. He was removed to the general hospital, where he is progressing favorably under the care of Dr. Montgomery.

There was a slight fall of snow on Tuesday night in Ladysmith.

There appears to be an epidemic of severe colds at the present time. Amongst other sufferers was Mr. I. E. Lowe, who was confined to his home for several days but is now back at his work.

A successful whist drive was held in the K. of P. Hall last Friday night under the auspices of the Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary. Seventeen tables played and a most enjoyable evening was spent by all in attendance. The prizes were won as follows: Ladies' first, Mrs. Vernon Young; second, Miss Kathleen Campbell; gentlemen's first, Mr. Verchere; second, Mr. T. Murphy.

LANGFORD BOHEMIANS

Club Will Be "At Home" January 24 —St. Valentine's Dance Has Been Postponed

LANGFORD, Jan. 16.—The Bohemian Club will be "at home" for their second invitation dance in Langford Hall on Wednesday, January 24, from 9 to 1. It is announced that the dance, which had been arranged for St. Valentine's Day, February 14, will not take place owing to other engagements that date.

The committee arranging for the dance and from whom invitations may be obtained is as follows: Mesdames Eve, Radford and Yates, and Messrs. Norman Brown and D. B. F. Bullen.

NANAIMO POLICE RAID

NANAIMO, Jan. 17.—In the city police court on Monday a Lithuanian was charged with keeping a common gaming house in the Queen's Hotel Block, and was fined $100 and costs, or in default three months in jail. Some seventeen persons, including boys ranging in age from 15 to 20 years, who were caught in the raid, made by the police on Saturday night, did not put in an appearance in court, and each forfeited the bail money put up by them before being released from custody Saturday night.

The northern portion of the Island was visited by a heavy fall of snow last night. At 7:30 five inches was reported to have fallen at Hilliers, near Parksville, with downfall continuing.

CHEMAINUS NOTES

CHEMAINUS, Jan. 17.—The Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company's mill is closed down for boiler inspection. The company shipped eleven cars of lumber for the East last week via the E. & N. Railway.

Mr. and Mrs. Brazier sustained a sad loss last week in the death of their infant son Albert, aged four months. The little fellow was sleeping in the same bed with his parents. In the morning they found he had been smothered. Interment was in the Anglican cemetery on Saturday. The little grave was covered with beautiful flowers.

DANCE AT COLWOOD

COLWOOD, Jan. 17.—One of the most successful dances of the season took place in Colwood Hall last night. Quite a number of visitors were present from Victoria as well as the nearer districts.

Excellent music was supplied by Mr. Gerald Scholfield (piano) and Mr. John Goodall at the drums. Refreshments were well catered for by Goodall Brothers. Mr. H. Whittler, from Esquimalt, made an excellent M. C.

So enjoyable did the dancing prove that it was well after 2 a.m. when the dancers wended their way homeward.

LEGACIES LEFT TO MEMBERS OF STAFF

Net Estate of $800,201 Left by Late Mr. Robert Kelly, President of Kelly, Douglas Company

VANCOUVER, Jan. 17.—A net estate of $800,201 was left by the late Robert Kelly, president of the Kelly, Douglas & Co., Ltd., according to the application for probate of his will filed today. The gross value of the estate is sworn as $1,062,748, while liabilities are set down as $262,546.

The principal beneficiaries are the immediate members of the family, his widow and son and daughter, as well as Mrs. Elizabeth Greenfield, a sister, and Misses Lillian and Edith Greenfield, nieces. Other beneficiaries named are Mr. F. H. Arkell, Mr. W. R. McIntosh and Amy W. Lindsay, who are on the staff of Kelly, Douglas & Company.

A legacy is also left to the synod of the diocese of New Westminster.

The executors are Mrs. Lillian C. Kelly, his widow, Mr. Frederick M. Kelly, his son, and Mr. F. H. Arkell.

CANCELS LECTURE TOUR

CLEVELAND, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Terence MacSwiney today cancelled her lecture tour in America to return to the bedside of her four-year-old daughter, Muriel.

Alberta Farmers Want Federal Wheat Board

CALGARY, Jan. 16.—United Farmers of Alberta tonight asked for the establishment of a federal wheat board with compulsory powers to handle the 1923 crop. As an alternative they suggest a provincial board.

THE BANK OF TORONTO

Report of the Sixty-Seventh Annual General Meeting

The sixty-seventh Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of The Bank of Toronto was held at the Head Office in Toronto on Wednesday, 10th January, 1923.

On motion, the chair was taken by the President, Mr. W. G. Gooderham, the Assistant General Manager, Mr. Harvey B. Henwood, was requested to act as Secretary, and Mr. E. W. Langley, and Mr. F. K. Morrow were appointed Scrutineers.

The Secretary read the Annual Report as follows:—

The Directors of The Bank of Toronto beg to present their Report for the year ending 30th November, 1922, together with the Statement of the Bank's affairs and the results of the operations for the year.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

The Balance at credit of Profit and Loss, on November 30th, 1921, was		$ 1,037,479.45
The Net Profits for the year, after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, and deducting expenses, interest accrued on deposits and rebate on current discounts, amounted to the sum of		878,762.13
		$1,916,241.58
This sum has been appropriated as follows:—		
Dividends Nos. 162 to 165, at Twelve Per Cent.		600,000.00
Reserved for Taxes	$ 80,000.00	
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	25,000.00	
Written off Bank Premises	150,000.00	
		255,000.00
Carried forward to next year		1,061,241.58
		$1,916,241.58

The Head Office and Branches have been regularly inspected by the Bank's Inspection Staff, and at the Head Office the usual verification of cash and securities has also been made.

The Auditor appointed by the Shareholders, Mr. G. T. Clarkson, F.C.A., has made his examination of our Head Office and principal Branches, and his report accompanies the General Statement presented herewith. Mr. Clarkson's name will be submitted to you for reappointment as Auditor.

Two new Branches of the Bank were opened during the year and one closed, leaving 155 Branches now in operation.

The Directors regret that Mr. Thos. F. How, the General Manager of the Bank, felt it necessary to retire from that position, and, at his urgent request, his resignation was accepted, and took effect on the 30th June last.

We are glad to be able to report that Mr. How has consented to act as one of the Directors of the Bank, and his intimate knowledge of its affairs, and his sound judgment will continue to be used in furthering the interests of the Bank.

The Directors appointed as his successor, Mr. John R. Lamb, who has been in the service of the Bank for thirty-five years, and has had a wide experience at several Branches of the Bank and at the Head Office as Assistant General Manager. Mr. Lamb assumed the duties of his new office on 1st July last.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

W. G. GOODERHAM,
President.

GENERAL STATEMENT

30TH NOVEMBER, 1922.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in circulation		$6,896,173.00
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of statement	$56,589,942.40	
Deposits not bearing interest	17,113,815.47	73,678,757.87
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	461,993.82	
Balances due to Banks and banking correspondents in the United Kingdom and Foreign countries	529,536.84	991,529.66
Quarterly Dividend, payable 1st December, 1922	150,000.00	
Dividends unpaid	1,123.00	151,123.00
Acceptances under Letters of Credit		678,407.72
		$82,395,001.25
Capital paid up	5,000,000.00	
Rest	6,000,000.00	
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward	1,061,241.58	12,061,241.58
		$94,456,242.83

ASSETS.

Gold and Silver coin current	$ 995,056.68	
Dominion Notes held	7,589,290.00	
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	2,500,000.00	
		$11,084,346.68
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund		270,354.08
Notes of other Banks		542,680.00
Cheques on other Banks		5,715,362.79
Balances due by Banks and banking correspondents elsewhere than in Canada		888,657.51
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value		12,861,837.42
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, foreign and colonial public Securities other than Canadian		1,715,983.79
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value		306,149.26
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans in Canada, on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks		7,606,301.45
		$40,792,532.98
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest, $208,762.00)		49,311,917.22
Overdue Debts (estimated loss provided for)		238,457.59
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, as per contra		678,407.72
Bank Premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off		3,474,927.32
		$94,456,242.83

W. G. GOODERHAM,
President.

JOHN R. LAMB,
General Manager.

Toronto, 30th November, 1922.

AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS.

To the Shareholders of The Bank of Toronto:

I have compared the above Balance Sheet with the books and accounts at the chief office of The Bank of Toronto, and certified returns received from its branches, and after checking the cash and verifying the securities at the chief office and certain of the principal branches on November 30th, 1922, I certify that in my opinion such Balance Sheet exhibits a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of my information, the explanations given to me, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

In addition to the examination mentioned, the cash and securities at the chief office and certain of the principal branches were checked and verified by me during the year, and found to be in accord with the books of the Bank.

All information and explanations required have been given to me, and all transactions of the Bank which have come under my notice have, in my opinion, been within the powers of the Bank.

G. T. CLARKSON, F.C.A.,
Chartered Accountant.

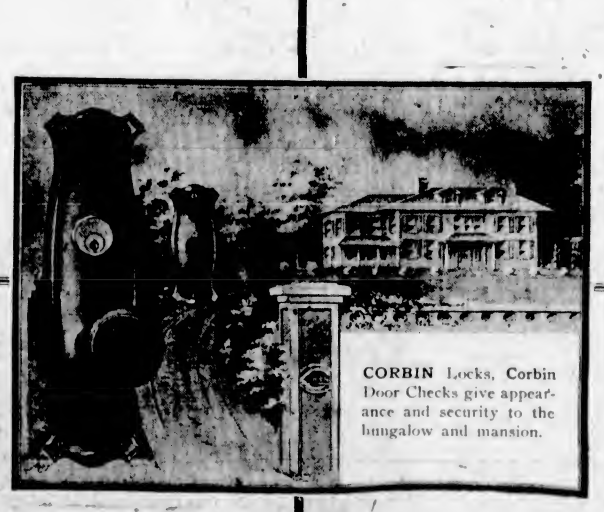
Toronto, December 19th, 1922.

The Meeting was then addressed by the President, Vice-President and the General Manager.

The Report of the Directors was adopted, Mr. Geoffrey T. Clarkson, F.C.A., was appointed Auditor for the current year, and the thanks of stockholders were tendered to the President, Vice-President and Directors, also to the General Manager, and Staff of the Bank for their efficient services during the past year.

The following Directors were elected: W. G. Gooderham, William Stone, John Macdonald, Lieut.-Col. A. E. Gooderham, Joseph Henderson, Brig.-Gen. F. S. Meighen, Col. William I. Gear, Paul J. Myler, A. H. Campbell, W. R. Bawlf, John I. McFarland, James D. Chaplin, M.P., and Thos. F. How.

At a meeting of the new Board, Mr. W. G. Gooderham was re-elected President and Mr. Joseph Henderson Vice-President.



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The Colonist's Pictorial Page

The windmill dance is the latest step to take Paris by storm. It's a variation of the fox trot and the three principal positions are here illustrated.

Members of the jury which found Mrs. Thompson and Bywaters guilty of murder, leaving the Old Bailey, London.

This little chap, Robert Burr, here seen with his uncle and aunt of Chicago, may win $40,000 or his father. The father is suing to get his motherless boy back from the custody of the uncle and aunt, who say if they can keep him they will settle $40,000 on him.

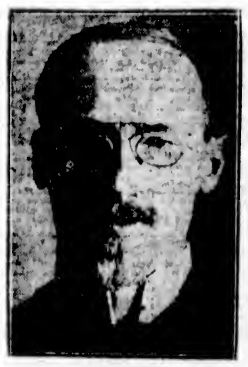
A Paris hat of peanut straw with large rosette of cherry blossom satin, for the spring.

"Red" Causey, former Giant pitcher, now with the Phillies, is a "soda slinger" in the off season.

"Honey" Sullivan, 21, is the confessed leader of a gang who have held up and robbed seventy-five people in Chicago. She is here seen in custody.

Miss Aileen Brandon is only 17, but she recently gave a recital on the grand organ in the Albert Hall, London.

Mrs. Hiram Knox, wife of a millionaire lumberman of Texas, and known as Lady Bountiful, who is charged with the murder of her husband.



Here is the artist, Niewadomski, who assassinated the president of Poland.

Roy L. Baldwin, a Detroit grocery clerk, who was held up twice in one week by bandits.

Ex-Premier Gounaris, recently executed in Greece, was a self-made man and had no near relatives. Madame Nazos, a brilliant Greek widow of distinguished parentage, is said to have been responsible for his political successes. Since Gounaris was executed, Mme. Nazos visits his grave daily and sits by it from morning to night, unconscious of the curious people who gather around.

Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, New York society woman and sculptress, at work on a war memorial.

Fritzy, the Airedale, saved the life of his companion by rolling him off a railroad track in front of an approaching train when major had fallen asleep between the rails.

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Business or Professional Cards, of four lines or under, $6.00 per month. Additional space at $1.25 per line per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS

YOUSON—On January 16, at the residence of his son, Mr. John Yousen, 747 Esquimalt Road, James Youson, aged 74 years, born in England and a resident of this city for the past 12 years. The deceased is survived by four sons and one daughter, of this city, and one son in England.

The funeral will take place this afternoon, January 18, at 3 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, the Rev. J. S. Patterson officiating. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

McALLISTER, On January 14, 1923, at her home, 1261 Faithful Street, Mrs. Emily McAllister, beloved wife of Richard McAllister, aged 46 years, born in Burslem, Stattordshire, England. She is survived by, besides her husband, one sister, Mrs. J. H. W. Findlay, of Victoria, and her mother and father and four brothers; also one sister in Staffordshire, England. The remains are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be conducted Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

BURNS Anniversary celebration—Fourth annual concert, supper, dance, Wednesday, January 24, Caledonia Hall, auspices Knights of Thistle. Tickets $1; children 50c, at Angus' Store, Esquimalt, Horseshoe Cigar Stand; Fyvie Bros., clothiers, Phone 1032L. Dancing 10 to 2. Tickets limited.

DANCE—Monday, Jan. 29, Caledonia Hall, 8.30 to 11:30, under the auspices of the Loyal Order of Moose. Special music. Free iced drinks. Gentlemen $1.00, ladies 25c.

DANCE and be merry at the Caledonia Hall, Saturday night.

DANCE, Strawberry Vale Hall, Thursday, Jan. 18th, 8.30-12.30. Ferry's orchestra. Admission 50c. Refreshments.

HARD Times dance at Luxton Hall, Friday, January 19, dancing 9 to 1. Admission 50c. Prizes for costumes and tombola prizes.

QUEEN Alexandra Review whist drive, K. of P. Hall, Thursday, January 18, at 8.45 sharp. Five dollars scrip for highest score. Chicken for tombola. Other good prizes. Admission 25c.

SCOTTISH Daughters League will hold a meeting in Rex Theatre Tues., Jan. 16, at 8 o'clock. All members are asked to attend and report on sale of tickets.

THE Victorian Order of Nurses, Saanich Branch, will hold their annual general meeting in the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, on Wednesday, Jan. 17th, 9 p.m. Catherine E. Oldfield, President.

VICTORIA Amateur Swimming Club card party at 129 Clarence Street, Monday, Jan. 16th, 8.15 p.m.

WHIST drive, Orange Hall, Monday, 16th, 8.30; 29 highest score, 4 other scrip prizes. Admission 25c.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

A SMALL boy with bicycle; must be recommended. Apply 616 Fort St.

DON'T miss the chance of a Job—Driving lessons and mechanical instruction in McLaughlin and Ford cars. Apply Fernwood Garage, 5656 Fernwood Road.

GOOD wages for home work—We need you to make socks on the last, easily learned auto knitter; experience unnecessary; distance immaterial; positively no canvassing; yarn supplied. Particulars, 2c stamp. Dept. 94-C, Auto Knitter Company, Toronto.

JU-JITSU lessons wanted. State qualifications to teach and terms to Box 1596, Colonist.

MIDDLE-AGED single man as night clerk in small city hotel; experience necessary. Box 1561, Colonist.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2 (Continued)

MAKE Money at Home—$15 to $60 paid weekly for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct you and supply you with work. West-Angus Showcard Service, 39 Colbourne Bldg., Toronto.

REAL Estate salesman wanted. Experience and car essential. Good proposition for right man. Prospects and good listings furnished. Credentials required. Steel Realty Development Corporation, Ltd., 644 Fort Street.

WE can use a live wire salesman; a man who is ambitious, resourceful and is not afraid of hard work. If you feel you can produce results, apply in person to Mr. Wilson or Mr. Dinsmore, National Motor Co., Limited, 891 Yates Street.

WANTED—Application for medical superintendent for Chemainus General Hospital, to be in hand by the 24th. Address Secretary.

WANTED—Auto top and repair man; must be capable, and a fast worker. Bus $15. Colonist.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

NURSES wanted by Class A accredited hospital giving three-year course. Uniforms furnished, also liberal allowance. For information, write I. E. Greenwood, Supt., Garfield Park Hospital, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Girl to keep children in the afternoon, shy afternoon or twice a week. Phone 5756.

WANTED—A tablemaid. Apply Mrs. D. J. Angus. Phone 6662.

WANTED by the 19th inst.—Strong girl, assist with housework and children; sleep in. Phone 1691Y.

WANTED—A thoroughly trained and experienced cook general by Jan. 25th; Old Country preferred. Apply Mrs. J. H. Todd, The Leasowes, Fairfield Road. Tel. 5008.

WANTED—A housekeeper for a widower. Permanent position. Apply John Nesbitt, Sooke Post Office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

FREE service given with motor van or truck for practice driving. Box 1582, Colonist.

LAWN work, gardening and pruning, by experienced gardener. Any odd jobs wanted. Telephone 5612L.

MAN of integrity, sound judgment, active resource, disciplinarian, manager, accountant, excellent correspondent. P.O. Box 936, Victoria.

PAINTER and handyman, odd jobs, etc., at reasonable rates. Phone 6628R.

S. A. S. DEPT., 525 Johnson Street, has carpenter, capable any kind of job, garages built, etc. Phone Capt. Stewart, 5846.

THOROUGHLY capable fire insurance man desires position. Box 1577, Colonist.

WANTED—Position on farm; can drive horses, motor car, milk cows and attend to all livestock. State wages. Box 366, Victoria.

WANTED, by experienced dairy farmer, a position, capable of taking charge. Apply N. S. Wilson, Colwood P.O., V.I.

YOUNG Englishman needs work urgently, any description; experienced, energetic and ambitious, low wages; best references; ex-service; city or country. Apply Box 1590, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

A WOMAN, competent housekeeper, desires place; willing for part of the day. S. Street, 6440.

COMPETENT stenographer desires position. Phone 6145L.

ENGLISH lady, very experienced, certificated, wants pupils or daily position, any district; usual subjects. French, music. Box 168, Colonist.

ELDERLY widow would like position, light of service or housekeeping, for widower. Box 1885, Colonist.

GRADUATE nurse wishes position, nurse, nurse-companion or housekeeper, to invalid lady or gentleman. Box 1164, Colonist.

POSITION wanted by married couple in private family. Lady thoroughly experienced and reliable; good manager. Man to be employed either whole or part time. Best references. Box 1164, Colonist.

STENOGRAPHER desires position, whole or part day. Phone 4611R.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper, where boy of school age could be kept. Apply Box 1566, Colonist.

WANTED—Work in office or store, by war widow, small salary accepted. Apply Box 1363, Colonist.

YOUNG lady stenographer will work in any office for the experience. Phone 5251, after 5.30 p.m.

EDUCATIONAL 6

CRANLEIGH HOUSE SCHOOL
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From beginners' course to matriculation. Excellent accommodation for boarders and day boys. C. V. MILTON, A.C.P.
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CERTIFICATED teacher, experienced in coaching, will give private lessons in Public and High School subjects, fees moderate. Box 1531, Colonist.

CHINA painting and water color lessons. China paints for sale. The Art Studio, 80 Arcade Building.

EXAMINANTS instructed for examinations by W. G. Winterbourn, M.A., 231 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

GREENAWAY Kindergarten Boarding and Day School, 622 Admiral's Road, Esquimalt. Spring term commences January 8th. Phone 5369Y1.

MISS BIDWELL, certificated teacher, B.A., Toronto, will give coaching classes for junior and senior matriculation; also special University subjects. Phone 2158R, or write 1211 Hurdett Avenue.

SPLENDID tuition given in senior matriculation, physics and chemistry. Rates reasonable. Phone 5167L.

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Vancouver, B.C., January 9, 1923.

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Chesterfield, Chair and Rocker	78.00
Gate-Leg Table, fumed oak	25.50
Walnut Coal Vase, a beauty	15.00
$152 Santos Vacuum Cleaner	25.00
Chiffonier, $13; Dressing Table	10.50
Morocco Leather Tub Chair	18.00
Strong Oak Rocker, leather seat	8.00
A Good Brussels Carpet for	12.50

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Finance and Commerce

NEW YORK EXCHANGE HAS DULL MARKET

Large Operators Adopted Hesitant Attitude Owing to the Situation in European Affairs

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Price changes in today's relatively dull stock market were generally steady and indecisive, large operators adopting a hesitant attitude pending further developments in the European situation, and the public manifesting little interest in the course of quoted values.

Inability or unwillingness to meet margin calls caused a rather large volume of overnight selling orders, which gave the market a weak tone at the opening, the declines running from small fractions to two points. The stubborn resistance offered by some leaders caused a brief rally, but the comparatively large volume of stocks offered at the higher levels discouraged buyers and caused prices to sag again.

Call money opened and renewed at 4 per cent and eased to 3 1-2 during the fourth hour, maintaining that rate until the close. The Government announced the proposed withdrawal of $31,000,000 from the depositary banks here tomorrow. The time money market was slightly firmer. Some sixty-day loans were arranged at 4 1-4 per cent, but bankers insisted on 4 1-4 for all dates.

Foreign exchanges were reactionary. Demand sterling got as low as $4.64 1-2, but rallied at the close to $4.64 3-4, where it was off about 1 1-2 cents on the day.

French Francs Drop

French francs dropped 15 points to 6.65 cents, and Italian lira were down 13 points to 4.76 3-4.

German marks dropped to another new low record, being quoted at .005 cents, or 20,000 marks to the American dollar.

An extremely sharp break in French and Belgian bonds, which carried a number of issues to the lowest levels in all time, was the outstanding development in today's bond market, which was decidedly reactionary in tone. French 7 1-2's dropped below 91, the previous lowest established last November, and the French municipals broke through their record lows of March, 1921.

Soissons 6's slumped 4 1-2 points, and new low records also were established by Serbian 8's, off 2 3-4; Bordeaux 6's, off 2 1-2; Lyons-Mediterranean 6's, Belgian 7 1-2's and 8's, and Czecho-Slovakia 8's, all down 1 to 1 1-2 points. A dozen other issues also registered losses of a point or more, British bonds yielding fractionally on reports that the British debt delegation would leave the country without reaching a definite agreement for the funding of the British war debt.

Total sales, par value, were $12,746,000.

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All Fractions in Eighths

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Can. Co., com.	81-4	80	31-4
Am. Car Fdy.	179-5	173	173-5
Am. Locomotive	151-5	150-1	131-4

Am. Smelt & Ref.	34	58-4	65-4
Am. Sugar Rfg.	74-5	76-5	70-5
Am. T. and Tel.	126-7	122-4	126-5
Am. Wool, com.	94-7	94-3	94-7
Am. Steel Fdy.	66-5	33-4	36-4
Am. Sum. Tob.	67-4	64-6	37-4
Anaconda Mining	49-4	47-0	48
Atchison	101	100-1	101
Baldwin Loco.	131-4	139-2	161-4
Baltimore & Ohio	40-4	40-1	40-1
Bethlehem Steel	61-2	60-6	61-3
Brooklyn Transit	11-5	11-0	11-5
Canadian Pacific	141	140-5	140-5
Central Leather	34-1	66-7	34
Crucible Steel	70-1	88-6	70-1
Chesapeake & Ohio	70-3	69-0	69-6
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	31	20-6	31
Chic., R. I. & Pac.	31-6	61-4	31-6
Chino Copper	35-4	25-4	35-4
Cal. Petroleum	60-0	78-1	79
Chile Copper	33-7	66-5	36-7
Corn Products	154-6	133-6	124
Erie	10-6	10-0	10-6
Gen. Electric	130-4	179-4	179-4
Gen. Motors	14	13-5	14-7
Goodrich (B. F.)	37-4	57	37-4
Gt. Nor. Ore.	60-2	30-2	30-3
Gt. Northern, pfd.	72-4	71-5	71-5
Inspiration Cop.	36-4	33-6	33-4
Int'l Mer. Marine	3-3	6-5	3-3
Int'l Mer. Marine, pfd.	40-4	40-4	40-4
Kennecott Copper	35-4	65-1	63-5
Lehigh Valley	67-0	66-6	67-5
National Lead	124-0	124-2	124-0
N. Y., N. H. & Hart.	17-7	17-3	17-7
New York Central	93-5	33-3	35-3
Northern Pacific	73-1	12-3	75-3
N. Y., Ont. & Western	19-3	19-5	13-2
Nevada Cons. Copper	13-5	13	15
Pennsylvania R. R.	46-4	46-4	40-4
People's Gas	30-5	90	30-5
Pressed Steel Car	71-2	71-5	71-2
Reading	77	78-5	77
Ry. Steel Spring	115	116	115
Republic Steel	49-1	47-7	48-4
Sin. Oil	32-7	32	32-3
Southern Pacific	88-5	67-3	68-5
Southern Ry., com.	57-2	57-1	27-5
Studebaker Corpn.	115-7	112-5	115-7
The Texas Company	47-6	47-2	47-4
Tob. Prod.	61-4	30-2	61-3
Union Pacific	168-4	163-6	135-6
Utah Copper	62-6	62-0	65-6
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	60-5	64	64-0
U. S. Rubber	59-3	37-4	59-6
U. S. Steel, com.	103-5	104-4	105-5
Virginia Chem.	24	24	24
Western Union	110-6	110	110-5
Wabash R. R., "A"	23.3	35-4	52-4
Willys-Overland	7-5	7-3	7-5
Westinghouse Elec.	53-3	36-4	53-1
Allied Chem. & Dye.	73-4	71-6	73-3
Phillips Petroleum	30-7	43-0	30-5
Comput. & Tabulat.	72	71	72
Standard Oil, Indiana	61-5	60-7	61-5
Sears Roebuck	84-5	84-6	84-5
Am. Ship & Commerce	13-7	13-5	13-7
Union Oil	13	15	15
Am. Linseed	31	31	51
General Asphalt	43-4	44-7	43-1
Kelly Springfield	49-1	46	49-1
Coca Cola	75	74-5	73
Chic. & Northwest. Ry.	79	73-4	73-4
United Fruit	153	133-4	136-4
Famous Play. Las. Cor.	33-5	33	35
Key. Tire & Rubber Co.	6-6	3-5	6-0
Nat. Enamel	66-7	60-5	66-7
Nevada Consolidated	15-5	15	15
Pere Marquette	31-6	30	30-2
Endicott Johnson	31	30-7	30-7
Transcontinental Oil	11-5	11-1	11-1
Invincible Oil	14-7	14-7	14-7
White Motors	50	49-5	49-5
Pullman Co.	133	167-3	157-6
Pacific Oil	43-4	43	43-1
Pan-American	67-0	36-5	37-5
Bosch Car	57-1	37-1	57-1
Chandler Motors	67-4	36-4	67-2
Houston Oil	74	72	74
Coniln. Can.	121-5	113-4	121
Pierce Arrow	15-4	15-1	13-4
Retail Stores	66-0	66	63-5
Stan. Oil of California	60-7	36-5	53-5
Royal Dutch	51-4	51-1	31-4
Cosden	54-4	35-4	34-5
Vanadium	36-0	33-4	35-5
Stromburg Car	64	64	64
Middlestates Oil	11-7	11-5	11-7
Texas Gulf Sulphur	65-4	60-0	65-4
Montgomery Ward	30-7	50-7	30-7
Midvale Steel	57-3	27-1	37-3
Pure Oil	37-5	57-4	67-4
Mexican Seaboard	16-4	18-4	18-4
Gulf States Steel	80-7	73-4	80-4

NEW YORK CURB
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Industrials	Bid.	Asked.
Acme Coal	62	85
Car L. & Pow.	1⅛	..
Durant Motors	73	75¼
Goodyear, com.	10¼	11
Goodyear, pfd.	23	31
Mesabi	10½	11
Phil. Morris	16	17
Stutz Motors	21½	22
Radio, com.	3½	6⅝
Radio, pfd.	3	3½
Tob. Exports	5	6
Un. Profit Shar.	4⅝	5
Un. Ret. Candy	5	6¼
Willys C. 8% pfd.	15	16
Cities Svc., com.	174	177
Cities Svc., pfd.	67	67¼
Cities Svc., Bkrs.	17½	17⅞
Oils		
Allen	10	20
Boston Wyo.	1	1¼
Carib. Synd.	4⅝	4⅞
Federal	30	93
Glenrock	1⅝	1⅞
Hudson	10	16
Int'l Pete.	20⅝	50⅞
Maracaibo	10⅛	10⅝
Merrit	6⅞	3¼
Mountain Prod.	13	17
Mutual	12½	13⅝
Omar	1	1⅝
Pennock	3⅝	10
Ryan Cons.	4⅝	5
Salt Cr. Prod.	50	21
Salt Cr. Cons.	10⅛	11
Sapulpa	3⅞	3⅞
Simms	13	15
Mines		
Big Ledge	1	5
Boston Mont.	11	13
Cal. & Jerome	13	16
Consol Copper	3⅝	4
Cresson	2⅛	2⅝
Dundee	20	21
Eureka Cro.	33	40
Hecla	5	8⅝
Hollinger	13⅛	13¼
Howe Sound	3	2⅝
Ind. Lead	59	41
Kerr Lake	4⅛	3
Ray Herc.	1⅛	1¼
Un. Eastern	2	3⅛
Un. Verde Ext.	57	26
Wayne Coal	2⅝	5¼

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE
(By F. W. Stevenson, 102 Pemberton Bldg.)

	Bid	Asked
Athabasca Oil	..	.15
Bowena Copper	..	.06
Boundary Bay Oil	.00½	.00½
B.C. Perm. Loan	83.00	..
B.C. Fishing Co.	30.00	..
B.C. Refining Co.	..	.40
B.C. Silver	.50	..
Canada Copper	..	.06
Can. Nat. Fire	30.00	..
Cons. M. & S.	30.00	..
Cork Province	.16	.19
Crow's Nest Coal	50.00	..
Douglas Channel	.06	.04
Empire Oil	.00⅞	.01¼
Granby	24.00	26.00
Great West Perm.	..	58.00
Howe Sound	3.75	5.30
Int'l Coal	..	.23
Indian Mines	.50	..
McGillivray	.46	..
Nugget	.01⅞	.05¼
Pacific Coast Fire	4.00	..
Rambler-Cariboo	.04	..
Silversmith	.44	..
Silver Crest	..	.02¼
Spartan Oil	.00⅝	.00⅝
Snowstorm	..	.04
Standard Lead	.80	..
Sunloch Mines	..	.37
Surf Inlet	.35	.50
Stewart Lands	..	10.00
Trojan Oil	.05⅝	.04½
Utility Oil	.00⅝	.08½
Whalen com.	..	2.00
Whalen pfd.	30.00	..
Wonderphone	..	.50

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Sterling exchange easy at $4.66 5-10 for 60-day bills and $4.66 for demand.

Bar silver, foreign, 0.51⅛.
Canadian dollars, 99 5-52.
France, demand, 0.86.
Lire, demand, 4.84⅛.
Belgium—Demand 5.10, cables 6.11.
Germany—Demand .0030; cables .0030½.
Holland—Demand 39.30; cables 39.02.
Norway—Demand 18.66.
Sweden—Demand 26.90.
Denmark—Demand 19.75.
Switzerland—Demand 18.70.
Spain—Demand 15.67.
Greece—Demand 1.54.
Poland—Demand .0037.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand 2.77.
Argentina—Demand 37.67.
Brazil—Demand 11.43.

VICTORIA DAILY VICTORY BOND PRICE LIST
Victory Loan 5½%

	Bid	Asked
1st Nov., 1923	1001.00	1011.00
1st Nov., 1924	1001.00	1011.00
1st Dec., 1927	1016.00	1026.00
1st Nov., 1933	1045.60	1036.60
1st Nov., 1934	1020.00	1020.00
1st Dec., 1937	1064.00	1074.00
1363	1017.50	1027.30
War Loan 5%		
1st Dec., 1923	390.00	1097.30
1st Oct., 1931	330.50	1000.30
1st March, 1937 (payable in New York)	1013.00	1022.00

NEW YORK COTTON
(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	28.39	27.34	30.90	27.04
Mar.	27.40	57.66	27.67	57.54
May	27.42	27.74	27.45	57.74
July	27.30	27.47	57.31	21.46
Oct.	24.35	56.35	56.73	20.32

SILVER AND MONEY RATES

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Bar silver 32d per ounce. Money 1¾ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills 3 and 5⅛ per cent; three months' bills 3 3-16 and 3⅛ per cent.

REACTIONARY TREND GENERAL IN WHEAT

(Supplied by Burdick Bros.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Wheat: The price trend today was mainly reactionary with incidental rallies. The heavy short covering of the previous day left the market with less support than for several days, while the seeming pressure was on a more pretentious scale; milling demand was fair here and prices steady, with sales of 80,000 bushels to mills. Foreign news was less bullish than the previous day. The cash demand abroad was slow, as the flour trade was in bad shape, according to Liverpool cables, while lower ocean freights and heavy exchange rates were against higher prices. Foreign markets are paying little attention to the continental war news and as a result the domestic markets were also less influenced on that account. The new crop months were given support at this level owing to the dry map in the southwest and the forecast for continued dry conditions. Outside buying does not follow the advances and on the other hand there appears to be ample offerings on the hard spots.

Corn: This market again showed considerable strength in view of the weakness in wheat. The country offerings continue light, and receipts were only 193 cars, the smallest in some time, while primary arrivals were more than a million bushels a year ago. Argentine reports indicated a good export demand. The weather conditions are favorable, and some receivers report a little more selling in some sections, but total sales from interior are still small. Local bulls are inclined to be aggressive and on the dips the market is easily oversold.

Oats: Followed the general guidance of corn, the cash market was steady with rather small sales for shipment. The market on the whole promises to be a trading affair, reflecting the price movement in other grains.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept.	110-4	111	109-0	109-0
May	131	131-5	119-6	113-5
July	113-7	114-4	113-2	115-3
Corn—				
Sept.	73-5	74-1	73-1	75-4
May	73-0	74-6	76-5	75-7
July	72-8	74-3	76-4	75-4
Oats—				
Sept.	40-0	40-7	40-4	40-4
May	45-0	45-7	45-3	45-5
July	42-5	46-7	42-3	42-4

DULL DAY IN WHEAT ON WINNIPEG MARKET

Undertone Firm With Respect to Coarse Grains, But Trading Is Limited

WINNIPEG, Jan. 17.—Dullness featured the wheat market here today. The undertone continued firm and prices acted stubbornly, working within a narrow range. There was a slight upturn from the lower opening when May touched a high of 114¾, but this was not held and both futures closed 1 cent lower. The undertone in the coarse grain markets continues firm, but trading is limited and the price tendency is influenced by the wheat futures. Prices were all ranging easier today.

Inspections totalled 473 cars, of which 327 were wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	11⅝	114¾	116⅝	112⅞
July	113⅜	114¼	116¼	113⅝b
Oats—				
May	49⅜	43⅝	49¼	49¼
July	48¼	45⅝	47⅛	48⅛
Barley—				
May	59½	59⅝	59⅝	39⅝
July	..	..	..	59⅝a
Flax—				
May	318	316	216¼	516⅛
July	313¼	512½	335⅝	215⅝
Rye—				
May	85⅞	85⅞	85¼a	85¼b
July	..	..	..	84⅜

Cash prices: Wheat—1 nor., 109½; 2 nor., 105⅝; No. 4, 100⅞; No. 5, 33⅞; No. 6, 86⅞; feed, 77⅞; track, 109⅞.

Oats—2 cw., 47¼; 3 cw. and extra 1 feed, 42⅞; 1 feed, 40⅝; 2 feed, 53½; rejected, 57¼; track, 47¼.

Barley—3 cw., 54⅞; 4 cw., 50⅞; rejected and feed, 47⅝; track, 54⅞.

Flax—1 nwc., 513½; 2 cw., 303¼; 3 cw. and rejected, 163½; track, 513½.

Rye—2 cw., 81.

MONTREAL STOCKS
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All Fractions in Eighths

	Close.
Bell Telephone	113-4
Brazilian Trac.	42-4
Can. Cement, com.	77-4
Can. S. S., pfd.	51
Can. Gen. Elec.	83-4
Cons. M. & S.	23-1
Dom. Textile	189
Laurentide Co.	92-0
Asbestos	63
Abitibi	68-5
Brompton Paper	37-6
Mon. Power	104
Quebec Ry.	24
Spanish Riv. Pulp	93-0
Spanish Riv. Pulp, pfd.	102-4
Steel of Can.	62
Wayagamac Pulp	52

WORLD'S METAL PRICES

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Copper quiet. Electrolytic, spot and futures 14⅝c. Tin easier, spot and nearby $38.62; futures $36.75. Iron steady, No. 1 Northern $30 to $31; No. 2 Northern $29 to $30. Lead steady, spot $7.50 to $7.75. Zinc quiet, spot and nearby $6.85 to $6.90. Antimony, spot $6.65.

London Prices

At London—Standard copper, spot £62 10s; futures £64 2s 6d. Electrolytic, spot £70 7s 6d; futures £70 10s. Tin, spot £180 15s; futures £132 7s 6d. Lead, spot £26 10s; futures £26 3s 3d. Zinc, spot £37 7s 6d; futures £33 10s.

U.S. LIBERTY LOAN
(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

	Close
Liberty 3½'s	101.14
Liberty 1st 4's	98.64
Liberty 2nd 4's	96.10
Liberty 1st 4¼'s	98.86
Liberty 2nd 4¼'s	98.30
Liberty 3rd 4¼'s	98.90
Liberty 4th 4¼'s	98.50
Victorias, 4¾'s	100.30
U. S. 4¼'s	99.30

NEW YORK RATES

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Foreign bar silver 65⅛. Mexican dollars 50.

Call money steady; high 4; low 3½; ruling rate 4; closing bid 3½, offered at 4; last loan 3½; call loans against acceptances 3½.

Time loans steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4½ and 4⅝, 4-6 months, 4½ and 4⅝.

Prime mercantile paper 4½ and 4⅝.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—Eggs active; potatoes steady; cheese firm.

Cheese—Finest Easterns, 24c to 21¼c.
Butter—Choicest creamery, 40c to 41c.
Eggs—Fresh, 45c to 46c; selected, 40c; new laid, 55c.
Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 95c to $1.

YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE
(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

New York sterling, 4.65⅛.
Canadian sterling, 4.79⅝.
Francs, 6.70.
Lire, 4.86.
Marks, .000054.

NEW YORK SUGAR

Raw Sugar—	Close.
Jan., per lb.	3.62c
Mar., per lb.	3.34c
May, per lb.	3.46c
July, per lb.	3.37c

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Raw sugar, centrifugal, 5.31; refined granulated, 6.90.

C.P.R. EARNINGS INCREASE

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for the week ended January 14 were $3,310,000, an increase of $266,000.

An admiral in the United States navy gets $13,500 a year for life.

MARKETS EXPERIENCE VERY FEW CHANGES

Wholesale Prices Are Altered Only in Few Items in the City During Past Few Days

There has been very little change in local markets during the past few days. California fruit dropped a little, while eggs were also somewhat lower in price.

Otherwise the market was practically steady. The prices prevailing were as follows:

FRUIT, VEGETABLES, DAIRY PRODUCE

Butter—		
Cowichan		.44
Comox		.44
Salt Spring Island		.44
Hollybrook, cartons		.43
Hollybrook, bricks		.42
New Zealand		.43
Buttercup		.41
V.I. Milk Producers		.41
Creamery solids, 36's, 1c per lb. less than bricks		
New Zealand 36's, solids		.41
Lard—According to size of package	.17½	.25
Lard, 1-lb. bricks		.25
Cheese—		
Ontario, Solids		.66½
Ontario, Twins		.57
Ontario, Stiltons		.53
B. C. Cheese, Solids		.23
B. C. Cream, doz.		1.80
B.C. Cream, 3 or 10-lb. bricks, per lb.		.34
McLaren's Cream, doz., small		..
McLaren's Kraft, Swiss 3's		.36
McLaren's Kraft, Can. 3's		.63
Royal Crown Loaf, 3-lb. bricks		.33
Eggs—Market—		
B.C. New Laid, Grade 1, per doz.		.33
B.C. New Laid, Pullets, per doz.		.33
B.C. Storage		M.P.
Fish—		
Haddies, 15-lb. box, lb.		.13
Kippers, 10-lb. box, lb.		.10
Sablefish, smoked, 10-lb. box, lb.		.10
Codfish Tablets, 30lb. lb.	.10	.15
Acadia Codfish, 12/2c		4.00
Acadia Codfish, 50/1c		5.50
Potatoes—According to grades and quality, per sack—		
Salmon Arm, Gems	1.43	1.55
Ashcroft, Gems	1.43	1.35
Kamloops	1.20	1.30
Vancouver Island		M.P.
Ashcroft, White	1.50	1.55
Ladner	.90	1.00
Sweet Potatoes, New	.03	.05½
Onions—		
New California, Yellow		3.50
Local, per sk.		M.P.
Okanagan, according to Government Grades, per sk.	1.75 to	5.50
Green Onions, per doz.		M.P.
Vegetables—		
Beets, sk.		1.30
Carrots		1.00
Turnips, per sk.	1.25	1.60
Parsnips, per sk.		1.50
Parsley, local		M.P.
Cauliflower, local, according to size, per doz.		M.P.
Cabbage, local		M.P.
Head Lettuce, imported, per crate	4.30	5.00
Hothouse Lettuce, per crate		1.00
Garlic		.15
Tomatoes—According to quality and appearance—		
Vic. Hothouse, No. 1		M.P.
No. 2 and No. 3		M.P.
Fruits—		
Pears	1.23	2.55
Grapes—		
Emperors, kegs		7.00
Almeria, kegs		8.00
Apples—Okanagan—According to size, quality and grade—		
Jonathans		1.25
Northern Spys	1.55	1.75
Grimes' Golden	1.00	1.50
Winter Banana		1.55
Wagner	1.55	1.75
Delicious	1.50	2.25
Spitzenberg	1.50	2.00
Yellow Newton	1.50	2.63
Winesaps		2.65
Apples—Locals—		
Ribston Pippin		M.P.
Lemon		M.P.
Kings		M.P.
Oranges—According to size and quality—		
Calif. Sunkist Navels, according to grade and size	4.75	5.50
Lemons—		
Sunkist		3.50
Choice		3.00
Bananas—		
4-basket crates		1.20
Per lb., city delivery		.10
Per lb., crated		.11
Baskets, 1 doz. each		.46
Grapefruit—According to size—		
Florida	6.50	9.00
California		5.55
Honey—		
New Comb, Idaho, 24-16½ oz.		5.30
New Comb, Idaho, 24-10 oz.		6.13
Figs—		
New Calif., according to size		M.P.
Dates—		
New Hallowi, bulk		.11
New Sair, bulk		.09½
New Turban, 60/15s (Special), per case		7.50
New Dromedary, per case		7.00
Camel, 30/10 oz.		5.50
Raisins—		
New Calif., cartons, 20/1 c/c		M.P.
New Calif., cartons, 16/2		M.P.
New Calif., layers, 3's		M.P.
New Malaga Raisins, 20/1s	5.35	M.P.
Nuts—		
Almonds, per lb.	.26	.23
Brazils, per lb.	.17	.18
Filberts, per lb.	.21	.22
Walnuts, No. 1	.23	.24
Walnuts, new Manchu	.17	.18

SUGAR

B. C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	7.60
Yellow, per hundred	6.60

FLOUR

	Per 49-lb Sack
Purity	$2.10
Maple Leaf	2.10
Royal Standard	2.10
Wild Rose (Pastry)	2.10
Royal Household	2.10
B. & K. Flour	2.10
Five Roses	2.10
B. & K. Pastry	2.10

WHOLESALE MEAT PRICES
No special brands quoted

Pork		.17
Beef, No. 1 steers		.10½
Lamb		.30
Hams	.36 to	.50
Lard	17½ to	.21
Veal	.11 to	.18
Bacon	.36 to	.50
Mutton	.18 to	.22

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.20	$42.00
Gr. Barley	2.30	44.00
Corn	2.30	44.00
Cracked Corn	2.40	46.00
Oil Cake	2.45	47.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.40	44.00
Oats	2.20	44.00
Gr. Oats	2.40	44.00
Scratch Food	2.40	42.00
Wheat, No. 1 Feed	2.50	50.00
Bran	1.60	30.00
Shorts	1.70	32.00
Alf. Meal	2.50	40.00
Poultry Mash	2.65	45.00
[illegible] Feed	1.70	32.00
Oat Feed	1.10	20.90
[illegible] Cake	3.00	60.00
[illegible] Meal	3.00	60.00
Soy Bean Meal	3.60	62.00
Gluten Feed	3.60	65.00
Cottonseed Meal	3.65	65.00
Beef Scraps	7.00	.....
Oyster Shell	2.00	38.00
Gr. Bone	3.80	.....
Hay, Timothy and Clover	1.70	32.00
Alfalfa Hay	1.70	32.00
Straw	1.10	20.00

ALLEGES VIOLATION OF ANTI-TRUST LAWS

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A bill in equity, charging violation of the anti-trust laws, was filed in federal court today by Frank Moore, president of the Odd Lot Cotton Exchange, against the New York Cotton Exchange, Western Union Telegraph Company, and the Gold & Stock Telegraph Company.

The Greater Victoria Building Society

The fourth annual general meeting of the society will be held at 403 Pemberton Building on Monday, January 22, at 8 p.m., to receive the directors', secretary-treasurer's and auditors' reports, financial statement and balance sheet, and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting; for election of directors and auditors, and for the twentieth drawing for an appropriation. See that your shares are in good standing. T. J. GOODLAKE, Secretary-Treasurer

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Sale starts promptly at 1:30 with Chickens, then Cows, etc.

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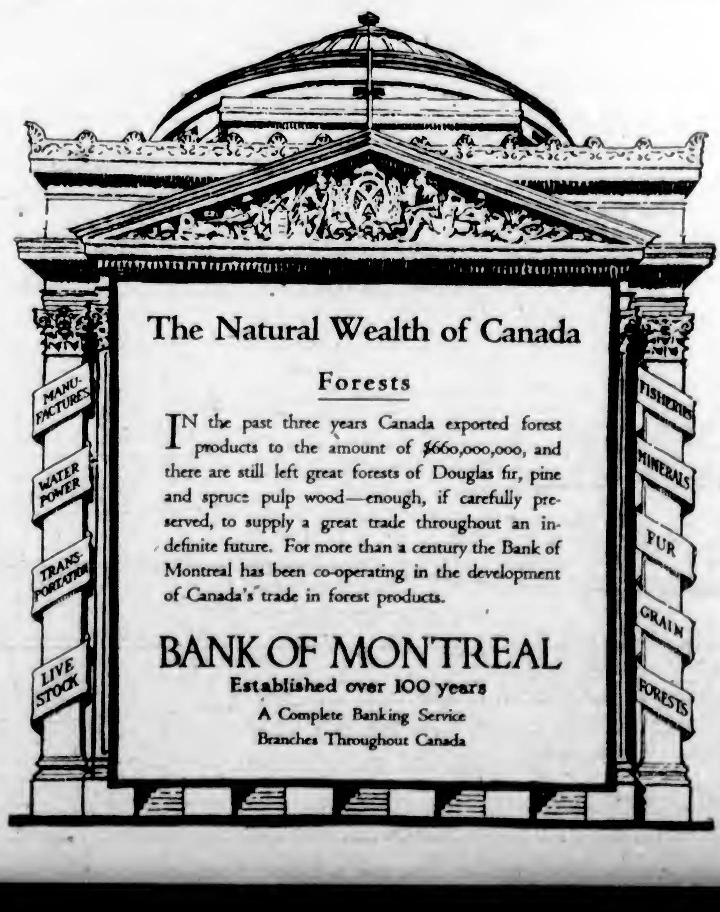

Marine and Transportation

WRECKED VESSELS RAISED BY WOMAN

YOUNG DETROIT GIRL ENRICHED BY WORK ON LAKES

Goes Down in Diving Suit After Treasure—Ship Sunk Fifty Years Ago Raised by Feminine Expert

A dozen years ago the report went out that a raft of oak logs which had broken away from its white pine floats forty years before and sunk off Port Colbourne, in Lake Erie, had been located and would be raised. The raft had belonged to a client of the McCarthy legal firm in Toronto. As oak had enormously advanced in value in the interval, and as the logs would not have been injured by their lengthy immersion, the salver expected to make a small fortune. But nothing was heard of the sunken raft, which probably existed only in the imagination of someone who may have seen an old log or two half buried in the sand, and surmised the rest. There are known to be some valuable cargoes of one kind and another at the bottom of the Great Lakes of logs, coal, metal, ingots, and other commodities. Their salvage is, when possible, a dangerous though lucrative occupation.

Of all unlikely persons for such work, a little slip of a woman 4 feet 4 inches tall, college bred and with an intellect that enables her to write for magazines, is successfully engaged in marine salvage on the lakes. Her name is Margaret Campbell Goodman, who startled the marine world a few years ago by bringing up from the icy depths of Lake Superior the valuable copper cargo of the old steamer Pewabic, sunk off Thunder Bay, near Alpana, in 1865. Miss Goodman is now in Detroit preparing to raise the $200,000 cargo of white oak and black walnut logs lost when the three-masted schooner New Brunswick went down four miles off Point Pelee, Ont., in 1859. She expects to start work in the last week of May, 1923, and says it will be easy compared to the task of raising the Pewabic's copper.

To Raise Schooner

The New Brunswick was 160 feet long, had a beam of 26 feet with only 24 feet of cargo space, and a 12-foot hold. Most of the cargo was chained to the decks. Her spars remained in sight for two months after she foundered; then the ice swept them away. But the site has been marked and the hull is believed to be resting on a clay bottom just about where the wild breakers of a Fall storm overwhelmed it 63 years ago. This schooner was bound from Wallaceburg to Montreal. Her owners, the Eberts, of Chatham, Ont., have already received several offers for the timber.

This woman, who has already salvaged fortunes from the cargoes of wrecks where men have failed, first got the idea when watching operations at Grand Traverse Bay some years ago. Experienced wreckers laughed at this slip of a girl when she proposed becoming a salver, but she interested some banking and shipping men in Detroit, who advanced her a little capital.

Her First Job

Her first quest was for the Pewabic. After five weeks of dredging with a special diving apparatus, which could stand the pressure of 135¼ pounds per square inch at a depth of 360 feet, she located the old hulk. That was early in 1916. The first season's work saw the recovery of 100 tons of copper, 100 tons of pig iron, 136 hides, and a great number of priceless relics—all brought up in the great "clam" dredgers.

In one safe was found $55,000 in Civil War scrip, but so worn to fragments by the action of the waves to be unredeemable. Coins, jewelry and valuables, in addition to the cargo, were brought up with almost every bite of the "clamshell." Miss Goodman goes down in a diving suit herself, and declares it an eerie sensation to look up through the clear waters of the lakes and see the "clamshell" dredge swing above one and ready to crush the unwary diver in its grasp. The Point Pelee venture is only one contemplated in treacherous Lake Erie by the lady salver. She hopes some day to make a try for the package freight lost on the Anchor liner Conemaugh, sunk off Point Pelee 36 years ago; to go after the Clarion, long lost in the same waters; to see if anything can be taken from the George Stone, near Gubb's Reef, Lake Erie, which went down 35 years ago; the barge Filet, sunk in 1915; and some day she hopes to hunt for the floating palace, the Atlantic, which, reputed to carry two boxes of gold, besides three small safes filled with paper money, went down in the middle of Lake Erie, some time prior to 1865.—The Evening Telegram.

SHIDZUOKA MARU TO ARRIVE TOMORROW

The Shidzuoka Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, will make port tomorrow afternoon from the Far East. She will reach quarantine at noon, Captain Iwamoto advised the Great Northern Railway, Victoria agents, yesterday, and should, in consequence, berth at Rithet's by 1:30 p.m.

Two hundred and fifty tons of cargo from China and Japan are aboard the Shidzuoka for discharge here. Whether this includes Vancouver freight, which in recent trips has frequently been landed here for transshipment, was unknown yesterday. The passenger list is light, with only one cabin and some steerage for Victoria.

WRECKAGE BRINGS TALE OF DISASTER

BODY OF MAN WASHED ASHORE BELOW FLATTERY

Power Schooner Hesquiat Believed Lost—Operated From Prince Rupert During Summer

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 17.—The vessel Hesquiat, believed to have been wrecked off the mouth of Queen's River, Washington, recently, operated out of Prince Rupert as a salmon fishing boat during the Summer. It has not been in this port for months.

The body of an unidentified man has been washed ashore at the mouth of the Queen's River, south of Flattery. Wreckage bore the names "Hesquiat" and "Neskowin." In the clothes on the dead man were found Canadian money and Seattle carfare. Canadian registry shows a small power schooner by the name of Hesquiat, registered at Vancouver and owned by George W. Larkin and Claude F. Leigh, of Prince Rupert. Whether it is this boat that the wreckage is from is not known.

SHIPBOARD SCRAPPER NOW BELTED KNIGHT

Chief Officer Harrison, of the R.M.S.P. motorship Loch Katrine, is a true type of the British sea dog. Wholesome, hearty and strong, he has made an enviable reputation in the British merchant marine. During the war the Admiralty took him under its service and assigned to him the duty of placing guns on the ships of the British merchant service ships. He has had many peculiar experiences, but recently had one of the most noteworthy.

Eighteen years ago when a young and ambitious man he was second mate on a windjammer. A lusty A.B. did not like his orders. They clashed, and a bloody three rounds were fought. When the battle was still in the undecided stage the ship's dog fell overboard. Harrison and the sailor, whose name was Phelps, dived together into the sea to save the pup. Returning with him they agreed to resume their fight after dinner. This they did, and hammered each other to each one's heart content, but it was a drawn battle.

Phelps was lost to the attention of Harrison after that voyage, and never was recalled to his mind until a few months ago. Then he saw his former antagonist and pugilistic seaman sitting in a carriage, wearing spats, frock coat, tall hat and stick. Inquiry brought to Harrison the news that the man was Sir William Phelps.

R.M.S.P. LINERS TO BE ONE-CABIN SHIPS

Steamship agencies in the city have been notified of the intention of the R.M.S.P. line to operate the liners Orbita and Orduna between New York, Southampton, Cherbourg and Hamburg hereafter as one-cabin steamers. This, in effect, places first-class accommodation at second-class rates within reach of intending travelers, and will undoubtedly find favor with transatlantic tourists.

One-cabin ships are almost an innovation on the New York route, although they have for some time been great favorites on the St. Lawrence. On the Canadian route the one-class steamers outnumber those engaged in handling first, second and third-class passengers. The R.M.S.P. line, in making this departure from their established custom from New York, have placed their rates on a parity with those from the St. Lawrence. The Orbita and Orduna are 15,000-ton liners and very comfortable. The company will retain the Orca and her sister ships, new 20,000-ton vessels, in the general passenger traffic from New York.

SWINE BREEDERS' DIRECTORS

The following directors were elected for the Canadian Swine Breeders' Association for the year 1923 by mail vote of the members, taken in accordance with the constitution of the association: Alberta, Wm. Gilbert, Stony Plain, Alta.; British Columbia, W. H. Higginson, Sardis, B.C.; Manitoba, W. H. English, Harding, Man.; Maritime Provinces, Peter Brodie, Little York, P. E. I.; Quebec, M. Ste. Marie, St. Anne de la Pocatiere, Que., and Frank Byrne, Charlesburg, Que.; Saskatchewan, Philip Leach, Baring, Sask.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are herewith notified that the unwatched acetylene gas beacon light on Gabriola Reef, Strait of Georgia, B. C., was reported not burning on the 15th inst.

This light will be attended to as soon as possible.

A. W. R. WILBY,
Agent, Marine Department.

MRS. ANDERSON TELLS WOMEN

How Backache and Periodic Pains Yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Mrs. Kelsey Adds Her Testimony

Copenhagen, N. Y.—"I read your advertisement in the papers and my husband induced me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to get relief from pains and weakness. I was so weak that I could not walk at times. Now I can do my housework and help my husband out doors, too. I am willing for you to publish this letter if you think it will help others."—Mrs. HERBERT KELSEY, R.F.D., Copenhagen, N. Y.

Sick and ailing women everywhere in the Dominion should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before they give up hope of recovery.

PLAN TO REVIVE VOLUNTEER FLEET

RUSSIAN SHIP LINE OF EARLY DAYS TO BE RESTORED

Formerly Consisted of 27 Vessels—Soviet Government Promoting Plan—Ships Scattered

The extensive shipping organization known as the Russian Volunteer Fleet, organized during the early days of the war primarily to carry supplies for the former Government of that country, may be revived, it was learned here yesterday, says The New York Journal of Commerce.

Negotiations are said to be under way whereby representatives of the Soviet may restore the fleet, which at one time totaled 27 steamers ranging from 1,400 to 5,000 gross tons and in all aggregated 78,600 gross tons of shipping. It is proposed, the reports state, to use it as a service between some of the Russian ports and ports of the English Channel, where connections will be made on overseas carriers to the United States and other countries. A part of this service will be a passenger carrying fleet, tending to relieve existing immigration conditions and to add additional lines for the development of Russian resources.

Whereabouts of the ships of the fleet could not be learned, although it was stated that they are scattered among the various ports of the world, and for the most part laid up. Some, it was said, are in Oriental ports, others are laid up on the Pacific Coast of the United States, and still others in ports of British possessions, with some in Russia.

In Poor Condition

It is believed that a considerable sum of money would be required to put the fleet in condition for service, but this matter, it is understood, has been taken care of—along with other plans for a general restoration of Russia's resources.

The ships of the fleet as shown by the maritime records of 1920-21 are as follows:

Ship	Gross Tons
Astrachan	2,693
Dobrovolsts	105
Erivan	2,693
Irtysh	5,236
Kherson	6,707
Kishinev	2,373
Kolynia	1,457
Mogileff	6,377
Nijni Novgorod	3,367
Oleg	1,377
Orel	3,425
Penza	2,649
Petersburg	5,432
Saratov	5,427
Simbirsk	2,713
Simferpol	2,696
Sishan	1,363
Stavropol	1,210
Tobolsk	2,689
Tomsk	2,693
Toula	2,351
Tsinan	2,373
Tuar	2,694
Vzryvvatel	604
Vladimar	5,621
Yana	2,336
Total	78,600

TUG AND SCHOONER SAFE OFF ASTORIA

PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—Anxiety over the safety of the schooner Vigilant and the tug Onsonta, which disappeared off the mouth of the Columbia River during a storm yesterday, was dispelled this afternoon, when advices were received from Astoria that the two vessels were safe.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Ship Radio Reports

(By Canadian Government Wireless)

Positions at 8 p.m., Jan. 17, unless otherwise specified.

Canadian Farmer, Ocean Falls for Astoria, 290 miles from Astoria; Wilhelmina, San Francisco for Honolulu, 80 miles from San Francisco; Ruth Alexander, San Francisco for Seattle, 346 miles from San Francisco; Vinita, Abardeen for San Francisco, at Gray's Harbor; Koki Maru, for Yokohama, 300 miles from Estevan; Niagara, Honolulu for Victoria, 1,399 miles from Victoria; Canadian Rover, San Francisco for Victoria, 240 miles south of Flattery; Kinkasan Maru, Seattle for Osaka, 170 miles from Flattery; Shidzouoka Maru, Yokohama for Victoria, 48.42 north, 135.40 west; Regulus, San Pedro for Vancouver, 52 miles south of Flattery; Bessie Dollar, Bellingham for Yokohama, 1,207 miles from Flattery; Milan Maru, bound Eureka, 1,300 miles from Estevan; H. M. Story, San Pedro for New York, 394 miles from San Pedro; E. L. Kingsley, San Francisco for Victoria, 190 miles from Flattery; Gargoyle, for San Francisco, 745 miles southeast of San Francisco; Stanley Dollar, Tacoma for San Pedro, 796 miles from Tacoma; K. R. Kingsbury, Richmond for Point Wells, 430 miles from Point Wells; Kentuckian, Portland for San Francisco, 330 miles north of San Francisco; Frank H. Buck, bound Seattle, 100 miles from Seattle.

Steamer Movements

PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—Arrived: Mundelta, New York. Sailed: Admiral Evans, San Francisco; motorship H. T. Harper, San Francisco; Edna Christensen, San Francisco; Charlton Hall, Puget Sound.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Arrived: Matsonia, Honolulu; Captain A. F. Lucas, Astoria; Nayarit, Manzanillo. Sailed: Tottori Maru, Boston; Sequoia, Bandon; Wilhelmina, Honolulu.

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—Arrived: William Campion, New York; motorship Coolcha, San Francisco. Sailed: K. I. Luckenbach, New York; Steel Exporter, New York; Georgian, New York; Walter Luckenbach, New York; Tess, Vancouver, B. C.

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—Arrived: Tees, Vancouver; Willholo, Portland; President Jefferson, Victoria; Rainier, San Francisco. Sailed: William Campion, Tacoma; Yosemite, Port Ludlow; President Hayes, Portland; Blue Triangle, Gray's Harbor; Admiral Sebree, Blaine; Taithybius, Vancouver, B. C.

KETCHIKAN, Jan. 17.—Sailed: Northwestern, southbound.

PETERSBURG, Jan. 17.—Sailed: Jefferson, northbound.

BELLINGHAM, Jan. 17.—Arrived: Admiral Dewey, Everett. Sailed: Ipswich, Anacortes; Admiral Dewey, Vancouver.

EVERETT, Jan. 17.—Arrived: H. W. Baxter, Eureka. Sailed: Pacific, San Pedro; Everett, San Francisco.

Arrived

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Olympic, Southampton; Byron D. Benson, San Pedro; President Harding, Bremen.

PLYMOUTH, Jan. 17.—Noordam, New York.

NORFOLK, Jan. 17.—Havre Maru, Portland, Ore.

MANILA, Jan. 17.—Stockton, San Francisco.

HONG KONG, Jan. 17.—Choyo Maru, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 17.—West O'Rowa, Portland, Ore.

CALCUTTA, Jan 17.—Scalaria, San Francisco.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—Steel Engineer, San Francisco.

Sailed

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Paris, Havre; President Monroe, London.

KOBE, Jan. 14.—Horaisan Maru, Tacoma.

WELLINGTON, Jan. 15.—Maunganui, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 14.—Korea Maru, San Francisco.

CRISTOBAL, Jan. 16.—Chester Sun, San Pedro; Commercial Traveler, San Francisco; Gymeric, San Francisco; Montana, Los Angeles.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
JANUARY, 1923

Day	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1					15:15	9.5	20:10	1.7
2					15:39	9.0	20:35	1.6
3	7:00	8.8	8:51	8.8	15:06	9.2	21:24	1.8
4	7:20	8.8	9:33	8.1	13:48	9.3	22:14	1.5
5	6:30	8.4	10:33	7.6	14:34	9.0	22:50	1.7
6	6:50	8.6	11:43	7.0	13:13	8.4	23:40	2.3
7	7:35	8.5	12:00	7.0	16:26	7.7		
8	0:30	3.1	7:57	8.8	15:52	5.5	18:13	6.9
9	1:08	4.1	8:51	9.0	16:07	5.6	20:36	9.6
10	1:40	6.1	9:34	9.5	16:18	4.5	22:34	6.4
11	2:14	9.9	5:26	9.4	17:14	3.8		
12					10:09	9.5	18:07	3.0
13					10:44	9.7	18:53	2.5
14					11:55	9.8	19:34	1.5
15	6:09	8.6	7:01	8.4	12:03	9.8	20:14	1.3
16	6:40	8.7	8:04	8.4	12:48	9.5	20:55	1.3
17	5:10	8.7	8:00	8.2	13:28	9.3	21:31	1.8
18	6:36	8.9	9:23	7.9	14:10	9.0	[illegible]	2.3
19	6:48	8.2	10:45	7.5	14:00	8.4	[illegible]	2.7
20	6:33	8.6	11:41	7.3	16:50	7.8	23:21	3.4
21	7:02	8.7	12:44	6.3	16:10	7.1	23:57	4.1
22	7:20	8.8	13:06	6.4	17:30	6.5		
23	0:55	4.8	8:00	8.8	16:10	6.5	18:34	6.1
24	0:40	5.6	8:35	8.8	16:50	6.3		
25			8:00	8.5	17:08	4.7		
26			6:57	8.9	17:44	4.1		
27			10:10	8.9	18:16	3.5		
28			10:44	8.9	18:47	2.6		
29			11:19	9.2	19:50	5.8		
30			11:56	9.5	10:58	1.8		
31	6:46	8.1	7:39	7.6	15:33	6.5	50:35	1.6

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 19.0 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1923.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8:06	4:37	17	8:02	4:47
2	8:06	4:39	18	7:59	4:49
3	8:09	4:39	19	7:58	4:50
4	8:04	4:30	20	7:57	4:52
5	8:06	4:31	21	7:56	4:53
6	8:06	4:34	22	7:55	4:55
7	8:06	4:33	23	7:54	4:56
8	8:05	4:34	24	7:53	4:58
9	8:05	4:36	25	7:55	4:59
10	8:05	4:37	26	7:51	5:01
11	8:04	4:38	27	7:50	5:03
12	8:04	4:40	28	7:49	5:04
13	8:03	4:41	29	7:47	5:06
14	8:03	4:43	30	7:46	5:07
15	8:05	4:44	31	7:46	5:08
16	8:01	4:46			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

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It Neutralizes Stomach Acidity, Prevents Food Fermentation, Sour, Gassy Stomach, and Acid Indigestion

Doubtless if you are a sufferer from indigestion, you have already tried pepsin, pancreatin, charcoal, drugs and various digestive aids, and you know these things will not cure your trouble—in some cases do not even give relief.

But before giving up hope and deciding you are a chronic dyspeptic, just try the effect of a little Bisurated Magnesia—not the ordinary commercial carbonate, citrate, or milk, but the pure Bisurated Magnesia, which you can obtain from practically any druggist in either powdered or tablet form.

Take a teaspoonful of the powder or two compressed tablets with a little water after your next meal and see what a difference this makes. It will instantly neutralize the dangerous, harmful acid in the stomach which now causes your food to ferment and sour, making gas, wind, flatulence, heartburn and the bloated or heavy, lumpy feeling that seems to follow most everything you eat.

You will find that, provided you take a little Bisurated Magnesia immediately after a meal, you can eat almost anything and enjoy it without any danger of pain or discomfort to follow, and, moreover, the continued use of the Bisurated Magnesia cannot injure the stomach in any way so long as there are any symptoms of acid indigestion. (Advt.)

EMPRESS LINER TO SAIL THIS EVENING

The Empress of Australia sails from Victoria this evening for China and Japan. The vessel is leaving with approximately 400 passengers aboard, 100 being first class, 100 cabin, and the rest Orientals in the steerage. She is also taking out a full cargo.

The Canadian Pacific Victoria office was advised yesterday that the ship would leave Vancouver at noon. She is expected to tie up here at 6 o'clock and will sail for her Oriental destination as soon as passengers and mails have been taken on at this port.

New Deep Sea Animal Sighted on Atlantic

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Captain John Roberts has brought the liner Baltic in with the story of a new deep sea animal.

The beast, according to Captain Roberts, had ears and a nose like a pig; was fully nine feet in girth at the thickest discernible section and was about twelve feet long above the waterline, with an inestimable number of feet submerged.

SEAGULL PREFERS LIFE ON MAINLAND

LOST HIS LEG IN HIS YOUTH AT ESQUIMALT

"Long John Silver" Landed Aboard Algerine Eight Years Ago, and Has Never Forgotten It

VANCOUVER, Jan. 17.—The mystery of how "Long John Silver" lost his leg has been solved. Long John, in this case, is not the notorious old ruffian immortalized by Robert Louis Stevenson, but the one-legged gull known by that name which for many years has frequented the roof of the Courthouse.

The cause of the loss of the leg has been the subject of considerable mystery and has served to attract the attention of many residents to a bird so curiously maimed. It is well known among ornithologists that mercy is not an outstanding quality possessed by members of the wild feathered tribes; it is rare that one of their number is permitted to survive a crippling, and for this reason alone lovers of bird life have taken a keen interest in the case of Long John.

Bird Maimed

The maiming of the bird dates back to August of 1915, when the Algerine was acting as depot ship in Esquimalt Harbor to coastal patrol boats. One day a member of the crew of the patrol boat, resting on the Algerine after the previous night's work, decided to catch a couple of gulls and tie them together by the leg with a length of stout twine.

He then released them, and as it happened the gulls took a slightly different course, one on each side of a guy wire. Long John was one of the gulls, and his leg was broken. The two birds continued towards the shore, and nothing more was seen of them until three days later, when John again flew out to the ship and perched in the deck netting, minus the leg.

The circumstances are vouched for by Mr. R. Scott, conductor on one of the Sasamat cars, who was a member of the crew of the Algerine at the time and who, with many others, witnessed the cruel trick but who was too late to avert it. How or in what way Long John got rid of the useless limb is unknown.

RADIO FANS' RESPONSE EXPENSIVE FOR MAYOR

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Mayor James Rolph, jr., faced today an organized assault on his personal exchequer as the result of a random scientific experiment last night.

Dedicating a radio broadcasting station, his honor spoke in ringing tones into the transmitter. Said he: "I want to find how far my voice is carrying, how big my audience is. Send in telegrams to me, and send them collect. Come on—everybody.

"Mayor Hylan, of New York, and you, Mayor Curley, of Boston—everybody."

Radio fans were not slow in responding. By midnight at least one telegram had come from every State in the Union, and it was announced at the mayor's office that Honolulu, and a ship 1,000 miles at sea were reported. And as the night crept on toward the dawn the messages continued to arrive. By daylight it was estimated that the mayor had incurred wire tolls of $3,000, with the possibility that the figure might be doubled during the day.

GOVERNMENT MARINE ABSORBS GRAND TRUNK

With the resignation of Captain C. H. Nicholson, manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamships in this city, to take an executive position with the Canadian National Railways, B.C. Keeley, now agent for the Canadian Government Merchant Marine on this coast, has been appointed general manager of the merged lines of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine and the Grand Trunk Pacific.

C. W. Tourtellotte has been appointed assistant Pacific Coast manager and W. H. Fogg, formerly with the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamships, will have an executive position with the merged lines.

Steamer Bretonia Is Believed Sunk at Sea

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 16.—Captain Thomas Anderson, of this city, master of the steamer Bretonia, which is supposed to have sailed from New York on December 10, has been given up as lost by his wife and family. He assumed command of the small steamer here in November 29 and went to St. Pierre, sailing there for Boston or New York. Other local men on the steamer were Leslie Patterson, David Fitzerman, manager of the Sydney Mine Company, and Edward McNulty.

Owing to the terrible storms at sea recently, there is little hope entertained for their safety.

BEER ON SHIPS

The American offices of the Cunard Line have received a cable from Liverpool announcing that hereafter the steamers of the Cunard's Hamburg service will dispense real German beer to the passengers. Of course the supply will be placed aboard the steamers at Hamburg. Heretofore Bass' ale and Guiness' stout were the staple beverages sold aboard the ships. This announcement will undoubtedly divert a large number of travelers from the Channel service to the Hamburg service, the American demand for beer—real German beer—being stronger than the demand for whisky.

RUSSIA TAKES DOLLAR

The Cunard Line announces that it has been informed by its Russian correspondents that they are now in a position to execute dollar remittences to many points in Russia. Payments will be effected either in actual dollars or gold rubles at the rate of 195 copecks for each dollar.

AUGMENT SERVICE TO AMERICAN PORT

Puget Sound Navigation Company Plans Addition of Steamer on Sol Duc's Route

The automobile and tourist transportation service between Port Angeles, Wash., and Victoria will be augmented this Summer by the addition of a new steamer to maintain regular runs in conjunction with the Sol Duc, it was announced yesterday by Mr. George I. Warren, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Warren will go to Seattle in a few days to complete arrangements with Mr. Joshua Green, president of the Puget Sound Navigation Company, of Seattle, which has been operating the Sol Duc.

"The present plan is to operate this new steamer every other day, when two trips will be made between Port Angeles and Victoria," explained Mr. Warren. "While the vessel has not yet been selected, I have the assurance of the Puget Sound Navigation Company that all the business offering will be looked after, and this new arrangement should be of great benefit to the city, as the route will be a desirable one for many motor tourists entering by way of Puget Sound and completing the Georgian circuit by way of Sidney, Saanichton and Nanaimo, where the C. P. R. and the Crosby Steamship Company will be operating steamers."

Listened for Copper On Floor of Harbor

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The $150,000 copper cargo of the barge Anode, rammed and sunk by the army transport Buford in the upper New York Bay in January, 1920, has been located 93 feet below the water's surface by the use of a listening device, officials of the Brooklyn Navy Yard announced today. The work of salvaging the 1,200,000 pounds of copper was commenced today.

MILLIONAIRES MADE WITH FIFTY DOLLARS

Low Point Reached by German Money, However, Cuts Mark Out of Business

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—It took just $50 in United States money to become a millionaire in German marks. Theoretically the American dollar could buy 20,000 marks in the foreign exchange market, but practically little or no business was transacted in less than million mark lots. At pre-war prices 20,000 German marks would have been worth $4,760.

Today's quotation for the mark, which was technically given as .005 cents, represents an extreme low record and compares with .01395 cents on the first of the year; .08 cents last September, and last year's high of .6025 cents. The pre-war price of the mark was 23.8 cents each.

Local bankers report that little new German commercial business is being transacted in marks, German exporting and importing firms having adopted foreign currencies as a medium of exchange months ago.

ALASKA PACKERS HAD A PROFITABLE YEAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—After two successive years of unprofitable operation, during which the dividends had to be met from the reserve, the Alaska Packers' Association achieved a net profit of $933,767 for its 1922 operations, according to the annual report of William Timson, president, made public today.

Beside its fishing fleet, the association operated fifteen canneries in Alaska and one on Puget Sound during 1922.

A good United States and Australasian market for canned salmon was given as the reason for the association's good showing.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—German marks established another new low record at 55-100ths of a cent a hundred, or 18,181 to the American dollar. At the normal, or pre-war rate of exchange, which was 23.8 cents each, 18,181 marks would have been worth $4,327.08.

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Celtic .... Jan. 27, Feb. 24, Mar. 24
Regina .... Feb. 3, Mar. 3, Mar. 31
Cedric .... Feb. 10, Mar. 10, Apl. 7
Adriatic .... Apr. 14
New York—Cherbourg—Southampton
Olympic .... Jan. 30, Feb. 10, Apr. 7
Majestic (new) .... Mar. 10, Apr. 21, May 12
Homeric (new) .... Apr. 14
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Feb. 10, Mar. 17 .... Melita
Apr. 14 .... Empress of Britain
ST. JOHN—LIVERPOOL—GLASGOW
Feb. 14 .... Marburn
ST. JOHN TO GLASGOW
Mar. 1, Mar. 24 .... Metagama
Mar. 17, Apr. 19 .... Marburn
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Mar. 3, Apr. 7 .... Minnedosa
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Apr. 21 .... Melita
NEW YORK (Cruise to West Indies)
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—Lower Main Floor

Fresh Meats—Cash and Carry

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Boneless Brisket, per lb., 18c and	10c
Rolled Loin Ends, per lb.	14c
Pickled Ox Tongues, per lb.	30c
Pickled Pork Hocks, per lb.	14c
Pickled Side Pork, per lb.	23c
Oxford Sausage, per lb.	12c
Crushed Bone, 5 lbs. for	25c

REGULAR COUNTER, DELIVERED

Lamb Steaks, per lb.	35c
Fresh Beef Brains, per set	15c
Fresh Pork Spare Ribs, per lb.	18c
Fresh Lamb Tongues, per lb.	30c

—Lower Main Floor

New Shipment of Women's Zimmerknit Bloomers

Women's Zimmerknit Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee; in shades of white, flesh and blue. Extra well made, a dependable brand; all sizes. At, a pair ..... **75¢**

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Women's Bloomers

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Pongee Bloomers of good grade, well made and reinforced and with single or double shirring at knee; all sizes. Values to $3.50 for..... **$2.50**

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—Women's Whitewear, 1st Floor

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Heavy Coats of Blanket Cloth, in belted styles and half lined. They have slash pockets, are trimmed with cable stitching and buttons, and in shades of grey or brown. Neat, warmth giving coats, in sizes 16 to 42. Special at **$10.00**

Plain Tailored Tweed Coats, in "Mannish" styles so popular for street or traveling wear. They are double faced, have plain backs or inverted pleats, and have tailored collars and patch pockets. Sizes 14 to 22. Special **$19.75**

Fur-Trimmed Velour Coats, in fancy styles, in shades of brown, sand, navy and taupe. They have beaverine collars, are fully lined and trimmed with embroidery and cable stitching. Sizes 16 to 44. Special at **$24.90**

Fur-Trimmed Velour Coats in the newest, popular styles; nigger, cinnamon, navy and taupe. They are fully lined with excellent grade materials, and trimmed with silk tassels and embroidery. Shown in loose or belted effects with slash or patch pockets. Sizes 16 to 44. On sale at **$29.90**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

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Blouses made of fine English voile, in over-blouse, tuck-in or plain tailored styles, with long or short sleeves and trimmed lace and hemstitching. Sizes 34 to 44. Clearing at **$2.98**

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Four Inches wide, on sale at, a yard	69¢
Six and Seven Inches wide at, a yard	98¢
Cluny and Irish Laces, on sale at, a yard, 10c to	98¢
Colored Fish Nets, in silk, brown, mauve, canary, rose and blue. January Sale Price, a yard	$1.49
Heavy Longcloth Embroidery Edging, regular value 15c. On sale at, a yard	5¢
Wooden Bead Girdles, regular to $1.50 values. On sale at, each	69¢

—Laces, Main Floor

Several Bargains in the Women's Shoe Department

Women's Brown Calf Boots, with welted soles; excellent grade boots of good grade leather; neat and perfect fitting. On sale at, a pair **$5.85**

Women's Spats, 14-button style; fawn, beaver and grey. Regular $3.00 values for **$2.45**

14-Button Spats, of brown, beaver and grey, with three-buckle fastening. Regular $3.50 values for **$2.45**

Women's Felt Slippers, in shades of brown, grey, wine and black; neat slippers with leather soles and heels. $1.95 values on sale at **$1.45**

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Babies' Bibs on Sale at 5c and 10c

Padded Bibs, trimmed with linen lace and edging. Special at, each ..... **5¢**

Padded Cotton Bibs, trimmed with embroidery and neatly worked with silk. On sale at, each.... **10¢**

—Infants', 1st Floor

Women's Dressing Jackets

Reg. to $3.75 Values at

$2.50

Dressing Jackets of excellent grade flannelette and beacon cloth. Neat, well finished with wide collar and trimmed with bands of satin. Low priced, yet of excellent appearance. On sale at **$2.50**

—Women's Whitewear, 1st Floor

Children's Waists At 35c and 50c

Children's Waists of heavy twill, made button front style, with soft boning, back lace and shoulder straps. Small sizes only. Special values at ..... **35¢**

Children's Waists of heavy jean, made to button down the back and having adjustable shoulder straps. Sizes for the ages of 2, 4, 6 and 8 years. Special value at ..... **50¢**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Men's Tweed and Worsted SUITS

Selected From Our Best Stock, Values to $40.00 on Sale at - $24.50

You will have to see these suits to appreciate fully the values they represent, at the price. The materials are first class and each suit is made in the best, most approved styles for either men or young men. They are of English and Canadian cloths presenting the patterns most in favor. Every suit is a genuine bargain at the sale price **$24.50**

—Men's Suits, Main Floor

Men's Negligee Shirts at Reduced Prices

10 Dozen Negligee Shirts, made of prints and woven cambrics. They are patterned in neat black and white stripes and fancy stripes; made with soft double cuffs and starch neckband. Sizes 14 to 17. Regular $1.75 value for..... **$1.19**

Negligee Shirts, of fast color, woven English Zephyr cloths, made with soft double cuffs and starch neck band. Regular $2.75 values. On sale at, each **$2.25**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Boys' Combinations

On Sale at, a Suit

79c and 59c

Boys' Zimmerknit Natural Merino Combinations, of medium weight, with long sleeves and ankle length. Offered in sizes 22 to 30, and regular to $1.50 values. On sale at, a suit ..... **79¢**

Only six dozen at this price. No phone calls or C.O.D. orders.

Boys' Fleece Lined or Natural Elastic Rib Combinations, of medium weight and in sizes 20 and 22 only. Regular to $1.50 values. On sale at, a suit ..... **59¢**

No Phone or C.O.D. Orders.

—Boys' Furnishings, Main Floor

Wool Tweed Suits for Boys At $8.95

This is an opportunity to get a fashionable wool tweed suit at a low price. They are in favorite models with pleated or plain backs and belted. Mostly dark tweeds, brown, grey and stripes.

—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

Hardware and Crockery Bargains

Aluminum Wash Basins, special	49¢
Steel Wool for cleaning aluminum, special, 2 pkts. for	29¢
Mahogany Candlesticks with candle. Special	89¢
Cane Milk Jugs, 1 and 2-quart size	29¢
Hand-Painted China Cups and Saucers, 2 for	25¢

—Lower Main Floor

Airtight Heaters and Fire Baskets Reduced

18-Inch Airtight Heaters, steel lined, and including 2 lengths of 6-inch pipe. Special at	$3.00
Fire Baskets, 18-inch. Special at	$8.00
Fire Baskets, 26-inch. Special at	$12.00
5 Joints of 6-Inch Stove Pipe, special value at	$1.00

—Stoves, 2nd Floor